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SURPRISED BY UNBIDDEN GUESTS

Newly Married Couple's "Quiet
Dinner" Boisterous
Affair.

WIDOWER AND WIDOW

Again First Spoiled Auto
Elopement to
Clayton.

A quiet reception was interrupted by a boisterous charivari in the Tower Grove district Monday night and as a result the wedding of John M. McClean, a salesman for the Carleton Dry Goods Co., and Mrs. Molle Crane of 4657 Butler street was celebrated on a more enthusiastic scale than the couple had planned.

After their plan to elope to Clayton in a big automobile last Saturday had been spoiled by the rain Mr. McClean and his bride-to-be proceeded undaunted to carry out their scheme of a secret marriage.

Mrs. Crane left her home Monday morning after telling her neighbor to order 50 pounds of ice for her. "I'm going downtown on some business and will not be back before this afternoon," Mrs. Crane explained.

The neighbor laughed. She was aware of Mrs. McClean's plans and the result of that neighbor was on the books for the postponed event. "I'll bet you're going to be married. You can't fool me, doctor," she laughed.

"No, I'm not. I'm just going to attend to some business matters and that's all," retorted Mrs. Crane.

Neighborhood Hears.

Ten minutes after her departure the entire neighborhood heard of Mrs. Crane's going downtown. The Carleton Dry Goods Co. was called up and the result was learned from Mr. Carleton that Mr. McClean had been engaged for the day. The neighbors then planned the surprise.

Mr. McClean returned to his place of business Monday afternoon and to John Kidwell, his old friend, and told the news of his marriage. "You and your wife come over to the house tonight and we'll have a supper but for heaven's sake don't tell the world because we want to keep the affair as quiet as possible," said McClean.

McClen then telephoned to tell anyone and then hurried to his home Vandeventer and Cottage avenues. Within half an hour a charivari had been planned.

"For God's sake, don't tell me I'm sick," said Mrs. Aisinger. "I'll come with the crowd."

About 15 guests were assembled at a very quiet house in the Mrs. McClean's home, and the bride was just telling Mr. Aisinger how sorry she was that Mrs. Aisinger was unable to attend.

Suddenly a racket was heard outside and a moment later 25 unbidden guests rushed into the house headed by Mrs. Aisinger.

The fun was kept up until pretty late, and both Mr. and Mrs. McClean had to admit that they had been seated in their "widower and widow."

Archbishop Comes Home Unheralded

Mrs. John W. McClean, Lonely Widower's Bride



SAVED BROTHER WHO SOUGHT DEATH

No Representative of Church
Meets Mgr. Glennon at
Union Station.

George S. Kidwell, Former
Texas Minister, Drank Poi-
son and Went Home.

Archbishop John J. Glennon, head of the Catholic archdiocese of St. Louis, who has been abroad for two months past, arrived at Union Station at 1:30 this afternoon, unheralded by any announcement to the priests of the diocese or even to his housekeepers.

The Archbishop planned in keeping the time of his arrival in St. Louis.

When he stepped from a Vandalia train at the station no one appeared to greet him.

The Archbishop had two heavy traveling bags, and these he intrusted to a boy to be taken to the archiepiscopal residence, 3819 Lindell boulevard.

Archbishop Glennon left St. Louis just two months ago. He spent the time of his absence in Ireland, England, Germany and France.

He visited leading architects in Paris and Berlin, and in these cities, as well as in St. Louis, Washington, New York and Boston architects are drawing plans for the Catholic archdiocese of St. Louis, \$1,000,000 cathedral to stand at Lindell boulevard and Newstead avenue.

Monday, Mrs. Warren said, Mrs. Mary E. Kidwell, the mother, called to ask if she knew the whereabouts of her son, George, who, she said, had been missing for two days.

Mrs. Warren says that she has not seen the young man since the family left her house.

They were originally from Texas, she says, and were once wealthy, and she has been told that George E. Kidwell was at one time a preacher. Mrs. Warren says that Mrs. Kidwell is now employed at a West End hotel.

The family do not know of any move for the dead.

will first have to take care of the people of Ireland.

"The peace negotiations have given the United States much prominence. In Ireland, England, Germany and France I found American enthusiasts every hand, and while we at home may, perhaps differ as to the President's real strength, it is an undoubted fact that those of other nations view him with awe and proclaim him the biggest man in the world."

The Archbishop says that the affairs of the church are in a bad way in France, although the heads of the church there look with hope to the future. "France must be either Catholic or nothing," said he, "and the new order of things will at least give the bishops the power to go out and convert the country again."

The Archbishop's travels have borne the stamp of the stickers which most tourists are fond of displaying. "I had a hard time to keep those advertising dodgers off my suitcases," he said, "but by the exercise of much patience and some manual labor I have succeeded. I don't like the idea of being a walking advertisement for the hotels of Dublin, London, Berlin or Paris. Their rates are high enough."

The Archbishop will rest for a day or two, and will then take up the routine of his work. He says he knows of no important changes now contemplated in the archdiocese.

FAIR, COOLER, BUT WARM TOMORROW

Frost Slowly Nearing St. Louis
and Rains Have Been General.

Cool nights and warm days are to continue, according to the official prediction.

The forecast: Fair tonight and Wednesday; cool, bright; warm, Wednesday.

Frost is closing in on St. Louis. It has come down as far as New Mexico on the west, and has also visited Nebraska.

Today's storm center is over Northern Michigan, and there are atmospheric disturbances pretty much everywhere. Parts of Missouri share in the visitation of showers that has occurred today in almost every State from New England to the Rockies and north of the Ohio River.

WOMAN SHOT IN EYE.

Husband Target Shooting, and Bullet
Hit Rock, Split and Struck Wife.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Mrs. J. L. Jordan, the Rev. Dr. John L. Jordan, a Methodist Episcopal Church, was taken to a hospital in Brooklyn yesterday, suffering from a bullet wound in the eye, inflicted by her husband and which may result in total blindness.

Mrs. Jordan's birthday, Aug. 1, was celebrated at Big Moose Lake, in the Adirondacks region, by a party which enjoyed a day in the woods.

Mr. Jordan, who is a target shooter, shot a target placed in position on a tree.

The husband took the rifle to show her how to aim when the target fell down. Mrs. Jordan put it up again and stepped to one side, behind a tree.

She was hit in the eye, and several times when suddenly, his wife came toward him screaming, with her hands covering her eyes.

He left the scene, and when he returned, he found his wife had a fragment of it had hit her full in the eye.



MISSING, LEFT LETTERS: "WILL KILL MYSELF"

S. Floyd Dinkgrave's Clothes
Found on the Eads
Bridge.

LAST SEEN AT CARD GAME

Sister, Roommate and Friend
Get Letters Today Threat-
ening Suicide.

LOVED POETRY AND MUSIC

Young Clerk Wrote He Had
Contemplated Act Two
Years.

Dinkgrave, whose hat, vest and coat were found on the center span of Eads bridge Monday night, left this verse in his room:

Strange—but the heart from trouble shrinks.
When skies are black and grim—
That when a man is down he thinks
That it is all up with him.

Letters received Tuesday from Floyd Dinkgrave of 3732 West Pine boulevard, whose clothing was found on Eads bridge Monday night, leave no doubt in the minds of his relatives that he has committed suicide.

A letter was received by his sister, Mrs. James Miller of 339 Washington boulevard, in which his trunk keys were enclosed, and in which he stated that life was not worth living, and declared that he was going to commit suicide.

The letter was handed to Mrs. Miller by the postman as she was waiting for her uncle, R. C. Dinkgrave of 467 Evans avenue, to go with her in search of the missing man.

Letter to Roommate.

When Mrs. Miller regained her composure after reading the letter, she and her husband, Mr. Miller, who had not returned up to 2 o'clock. Another letter was received by A. L. Martin, Dinkgrave's roommate, in which he stated that he was unhappy and was going to commit suicide.

A third letter was sent to a Mr. Dicks, a friend, in which he said that he had been contemplating suicide for two years.

During that period his friends have had no suspicion that he was entertaining such thoughts, as he always appeared to be cheerful and no reason was known for his being anything else.

Dinkgrave was last seen at 12:30 a. m. Monday, when he left a party of friends with whom he had been playing poker.

The game, which was for small stakes, took place in a poker room on 360 block of Lindell boulevard. Dinkgrave was in a cheerful mood when he left.

He had about \$35, it is thought, with him.

Clothes on Bridge.

At 9:20 p. m. Monday W. H. Stillwell of 2818 Washington avenue found a gray felt hat, a white vest, a brown plaid square-cut coat and vest lying neatly folded together on the central span of the bridge. A card with Dinkgrave's name was in the coat. Stillwell called Patrolien Regan, who took the clothing to the Carr Street Police Station, and the police began an investigation.

Aunt of Dinkgrave, Mrs. V. C. White, was found at 4435 Page boulevard, which was his directory address.

She sent the police to his boarding place on West Pine boulevard, where it was learned that Dinkgrave had not returned to the house since leaving it Sunday afternoon with A. L. Martin, who had about \$35, it is thought, with him.

With an Elder Sister

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**Circuit Attorney Sager Expects
Action Against Big
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**Clerks and Bookkeepers Sum-
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BY ROSE MARION.

"Martha," the "other woman" in the Paris divorce case, is Miss Mattie Belle Scogin, a more child in years, but beautiful in appearance and an accomplished musician. With her sister, Miss Frances Scogin, she is keeping house at 3000A Vernon avenue.

"I have nothing to say about the Paris divorce case," said Miss Mattie Belle Scogin sadly. With Miss Frances Scogin, who had come to the defense of her sister, I had a long conversation at her home.

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Return Indictments.

"It is the intention of the grand jury to probe the matter to the bottom and to render a verdict against all who, according to the evidence presented, appear to be guilty of fraudulent returns of their property."

Subpoena for confidential men were issued Tuesday. They will be asked by the grand jurors as to the value of the taxable holdings of their employers, and upon the information thus gained will depend the grand jury's action.

The property owners themselves will be called to testify for the reason that indictments based upon information given by them against themselves would not be valid.

O'Brien's Testimony.

The grand jury paged the way for this trial of the investigation Monday by examining John J. O'Brien, president of the Board of Assessors, for an hour.

It is understood that Mr. O'Brien placed in his possession of the grand jury much information which will enable the jurors

ST. LOUIS PROSPERITY EXCEEDS FAIR PERIOD

Increase of 56,000 Tons of Freight a Month
—\$8,674,000 New Capital Invested Since
—Figures by Merchants' Exchange, Business Men's League and Terminal Railway.

Statistics compiled by the St. Louis Merchants' Exchange, the Business Men's League, the Terminal Railway Association of St. Louis and the various railroads entering this city show that St. Louis is now in the full tide of trade far surpassing the traffic recorded during the World's Fair.

These statistics prove that the city's commercial activity in what was expected to be a "reaction period" has been greater and more resolute than at any other time in its history.

President McCheesney of the Terminal Association says his company handled during August, 1905, a total of 1000 more cars of freight than during the same month of 1904.

This statement, based on the records appearing on the Association's books, caused great surprise.

The facts are, however, that the statistics of St. Louis' freight handled since Jan. 1, 1905, show an even greater percentage of increase than is indicated in President McCheesney's announcement.

That increase of 1000 cars means an increase of 56,000 tons.

President McCheesney said that the month of July had shown a corresponding increase, and that September had opened up about on the same basis.

Secretary Morgan is in possession of the statistics covering the six months preceding July 1. They were furnished him by the railroads entering St. Louis, each covering its own freight traffic.

The resulting table is as follows:

TONS	TONS	RECEIVED	SHIPPED	HANDED
1905.....11,162,228	1905.....8,674,000	1905.....6,928,320	1905.....6,888,548	1904.....10,968,680
1904.....6,779,310	1904.....17,488,190			
Increase of tonnage for first six months of 1905 over first six months of 1904.....340,358				
The average increase is more than 56,000 tons.				

Four Courts Is in Danger

Building Commissioner Says It Is Likely to Collapse.

"The Four Courts building is in a fragile condition and immediate reinforcements are necessary to prevent it from falling in," said Building Commissioner Smith Tuesday, after a tour of inspection of the old structure at Twelfth street and Clark avenue, from roof to basement.

"I have instructions from Mayor Wells to do what I can to make the place habitable, but I am afraid the time for repairs has passed.

"The roof is rotten and in danger of falling in at any moment. It would cost \$300 to repair the roof alone, and there is not \$30 cents available.

"The very walls are falling. Huge stones from cornices and window sills have gone crashing into the street, and passersby have to give the building a wide berth.

"Owing to the roof, leaks have invaded the grand jury room and may yet spoil the records which have to be kept in cases and cabinets, water tight.

Rain on Juries.

"In the rooms where juries sleep the leaks are so bad that many juries have had to be taken to hotels, putting the State to added expense.

On Tuesday, the building was accompanied by Chief of Detectives Desmond, who pointed out many places where the building was failing and where the walls and windows of police cases are kept inadequate and the weight of file cases has caused the partitions to spring. The chief said that if another or more serious accident will result the commissioner said.

"The rains have lowered the plaster and a few scaffolds fell in the office of Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Salton one night, spoiling a new rug. In other offices the plaster is cracked and loosened.

All around the basement Commissioner Smith has made chalk marks to show the settling of the building. The foundations are in bad shape and need to be renewed.

Steel rods in the cell walls of the jail and building. These rods are shaved off by the moving plates and snap across the jail floor. Some of the cell walls are ready to fall from lack of rivets and it is to be expected at once to keep the jail from breaking apart.

Watch Carefully.

Inspectors from the Building Department are watching the Four Courts continually to report at once the first sign of collapse. Floors, rooms like the laundry department, where the records are kept, show the strain plainly and additional cases cannot be put in until the walls are strengthened.

Chief Desmond called attention to the settling of walls in the Police Department.

Commissioner Smith said that repairs necessary to put the building in shape for occupancy and to keep it against collapse would cost more than \$100,000.

Something must be done immediately, he said, and a conference of heads of departments will probably be called to meet with Mayor Wells shortly.

Both Engines Ready.

City Hall Machines Named "Cora" and "Eveline."

Two new engines, installed in the New City Hospital to take the place of those condemned by the Board of Public Improvements, are both now ready for use. The installation was taken a month ago and the engines have already been in service 12 days without a rest.

Engineer Edward A. Cordes will name the engines, E. A. C. after the youngest daughter of Dr. John Young Brown, the first baby born in the new hospital, and the other, Cora, after Mrs. Brown.

The new engines make no more noise than a sewing machine and are powerful enough to run the lighting plant and laundry. They are used on 12-hour shifts.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes.

"First in everything."

"OTHER WOMAN" IN PARISI DIVORCE CASE

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the others went. She did not go with them. She sailed early in June.

"She came home and then this happened. Her name was used again. I must say that I can not imagine why. To me it seems almost a disgrace for a young woman's name to be mentioned thus. A young woman's life should be such that there would be no need for her to come before the public at all. But to have it used in the way it has now is too much.

"I have one hope, truth is mighty and will prevail. There will be an outcome. The innocent will not always suffer. Until that comes, my sister has me."

On Dec. 15, Misses Scogin went to that time they made their home with him on Main avenue. Their home was beautiful, and while at that time Miss Scogin devoted her time to her music and her pupils, Miss Mattie Belle had little to do except to make her violin play new expression.

Some friends are of the opinion that Miss Mattie Belle is a spoiled child, that she was chosen to take all the hard parts and left only the easy ones for her younger sister.

Miss Frances has no word of blame for her sister. She does not consider that there is cause for blame.

In the world of discussion that she feels has been caused, she has no dread of harsh criticism from others of her sex.

"Women are kindest to women," is her contention, contrary to the almost proverbial sayings of students of human nature.

"Women understand as men cannot the nature of women, and that makes their judgment different. They are not harsh."

The name of Parisi was not said once by Miss Scogin throughout the conversation. I used it several times, but she avoided the name and made her meaning clear without it.

Bears Trouble Alone.

As we spoke of women I mentioned Mrs. Parisi's name, saying, "Mrs. Parisi is a kind woman. She was not resentful when speaking of your sister."

"I do not know her," said Miss Scogin.

Miss Mattie Belle's musical ability was touched upon and I asked Miss Frances if the jealousy of which she spoke could be professional jealousy, but she did not name it that.

"What is it she charges it with the unkindness of her sister."

"She is close her eyes to rest so great is her suffering," she continued. "We have friends, but I am glad that they do not come to us. What can they

"Other Woman" in Parisi Divorce Case and Elder Sister Who Shields Her



MISS FRANCIS SCOGIN,
Named in Divorce Suit as "Mrs. Maria
Jones."



MISS FRANCIS SCOGIN
Elder Sister.

SIMPLICITY AT FUNERAL OF MR. PARSONS

Distinguished St. Louisans Fill Christ Church Cathedral for Banker's Obsequies.

FLAGS TO DRAPE COFFIN

Loyal Legion Will Place National Colors and Wreath at the Church.

ALL BANKERS PRESENT

Telegrams From Other Cities Tell of Respect Felt for Great Financier.

Society Woman Who Is Home From Europe

"Lock Up Opposition Leaders," Is Mexican Lesson on Elections.

EL PASO, Tex., Sept. 18.—A special train to Ciudad Porfirio Diaz, Coahuila, says the way the governmental party kept there Sunday during elections and probably did elsewhere, was to lock up many of the prominent leaders of the opposition. Some were placed in jail as early as Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parsons Fettus, and William G. and Eugene Fettus, the parents of Mr. Parsons' deceased wife, Mrs. Parsons, were present at a sister of the late Mrs. Parsons, who is in Europe.

The funeral arrangements were in charge of J. H. Gazzan, a friend and neighbor of Mr. Parsons, for many years.

Very President McCluskey of the State National Bank said Tuesday that the bank was in receipt of letters from their branch correspondents throughout the entire country expressing their regard for Mr. Parsons.

"In business, as in private life," said Mr. Parsons' son, "he was a character that inspired respect and confidence to an exceptional extent and was a man of great integrity, whose influence was felt throughout the entire country."

Sought Cases of Need.

"I knew Mr. Parsons closely for many years," said Mr. Gazzan, a Post-Dispatch reporter, "and he was a kindly, lovable and big-hearted man, to whom the helping of others was a supreme pleasure when he felt that they deserved help. He did not wait for cases of need to approach him, but he was always ready to help those who knew him well.

Headed by Dean Davis, reciting the ritual, the procession will enter the cathedral, and proceed to the chancel, where the casket will be set down. Here the services of the church will continue their close.

Veterans to Place Wreath.

Following the reading by Dean Davis of the lesson from the fifteenth chapter of the First Epistle of St. Paul to the Corinthians, beginning, "Now is Christ risen from the dead," and closing with the words, "O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory?" the

funeral will be held in the Belfontefontaine Cemetery.

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Friends Fill Cathedral.

At the conclusion of the choral service, the cathedral, under direction of Choirmaster Darby, will meet in the choir room, both bodies awaiting the arrival of the body from the Parsons home, 204 Pine street.

The cathedral was filled with friends from the hour set for the services. The gathering comprised the foremost representatives of the social, commercial, educational and civic life in St. Louis.

The central aisle seats had been reserved for relatives and close personal friends.

The Loyal Legion, headed by Senior Vice-Commander Raymond and Major Hodges of the Loyal Legion, will advance and march to the cathedral, and cover it with a United States flag.

Upon the flag, at the head of the casket, will be a laurel wreath.

No word accompanies the two Loyal Legion officers will return to their places of assembly.

At the close of the ceremony, the officers will then be borne to the hearse for the funeral progress to the Parsons home.

The services at the grave will consist of a solo, a hymn and a benediction.

As a citizen his life has been exemplary and his death a loss to his friends.

Therefore, be it resolved, that this tribute be given to the highest ideals of integrity and which he has upheld.

Relatives Attending.

The relatives attending the funeral will be the two brothers of Mr. Parsons, John F. and George Parsons, and Mr. Parsons' wife, Mrs. Parsons, of Watervliet, Mich., and the friends of the deceased.

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DIRECT FROM PACKING CASES TO COUNTER!

FLANNEL-ETTES

Direct from packing case to counter! Double fold 36-inch Flannel-ettes in Persian, Oriental and Dresden designs—stripes, dots and neat figures—all the newest Fall colorings.

A 15-CENT QUALITY FOR

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That's the Way We're Compelled To Do Business These Days! Here Are Greater Sacrifices for Wednesday!

RESEWN KID GLOVES!

The event of the season! Thousands of pairs of the renowned Trefousse Kid Gloves and other good makes. Tried-on Gloves, soiled Gloves and resewn Gloves, odd pairs, etc. Both Women's and Girls' sizes. Gloves that we've sold by thousands at \$1.50 and \$2; all colors and sizes... 57C

A ROOM-MAKING SALE THIS WEEK OF

GOWNS, SUITS, WRAPS, FURS!

A BOUT this time of year we usually have our Fall Opening. This season we had planned on a larger and grander scale than ever before, in honor of the new addition to our store—which was to have been ready September 1st.

THE GOODS ARE HERE, BUT THE STORE IS NOT READY!

We cannot leave the beautiful Gowns, Suits, Wraps and Fine Furs in the boxes and cases any longer. They must be unpacked. Then it's a case of sell or soil.

Several elevators have yet to be put in—partitions must come down—fixtures must be moved, etc., and to avoid getting the goods soiled we have determined to mark them at extremely low prices so as to sell them quick.

EVENING GOWNS AT A GREAT SACRIFICE!
CLOTH AND VELVET SUITS AT A GREAT SACRIFICE!
EVENING WRAPS AND MANTLES AT A GREAT SACRIFICE!
STREET COATS AND SUITS AT A GREAT SACRIFICE!
LADIES' WAISTS AT A GREAT SACRIFICE!

A MONSTER SALE OF FINE FURS, ETC.

General descriptions are impossible in a big sale like this, but here are three specials to give you some idea of the wonderful bargains offered. Direct from packing case to counter!

A STUNNING NEW FALL COAT EXACTLY LIKE THIS ILLUSTRATION

Forty-five inches long, made of new men's wear cloth in gray or castor colors—medium weight and unlined, suitable to wear in Fall and Spring—a most useful garment for this climate.

Is an exact copy of a \$25.00 Coat in style and fabric. We offer 300 of these \$5.00 Coats tomorrow at.....

(The best Coat Bargain you ever saw.)

CLOTH SUITS

Long Coat Suits, of excellent all-wool cheviot, with broad tailor-stitched strap seams the entire length, both back and front. Body and sleeves satin lined. Velvet collar. Self coat cuffs. New pleated gored skirt. Black, blue or new green. Sizes 32 to 42 bust. A suit worth \$15.00 to \$16.00 in the regular way. Special price \$10.00 tomorrow.....



SEPARATE SKIRTS LIKE THIS

A good-sized lot of these new 4-flounce sunburst Skirts—made to sell at, and never before sold by us or any other store for less than \$5.00 each. Colors: black, blue, brown, green, dark red or white. Choices of all ways. Sizes tomorrow \$2.98 for.....

OUR ROUSING LACE CURTAIN SALE

Inaugurated last week will be in still greater evidence this week owing to the arrival of more shipments, which we are compelled to take direct from the packing cases to the bargain counter! Here are the biggest Lace Curtain values yet.

Nottingham Lace Curtains—In point d'esprit and novelty designs; worth \$1.00, per pair..... 63C

Nottingham Curtains—In Cluny and Renaissance effects, 54 inches wide and 3½ yards long; worth \$1.50; sale price, per pair..... 89C

Bonne Femme Curtains—In real Renaissance, with flounce; worth \$2.50; sale price, each..... 1.54

Bonne Femme Curtains—In real Arabian, only one of a pattern; worth \$1; sale price, each..... 6.50

Nottingham Curtains—In Arabian cored designs with deep bobbinet flounce; worth \$6; at per pair..... 2.75

\$3.50 Nottingham Curtains—54 and 60 inches wide, Battenberg and fishnet designs; worth \$4.50; sale price, per pair..... 2.17

Cable Net and Brussels Weave Curtains—In Arabian and Renaissance designs; worth \$4.50; sale price, per pair..... 2.98

The New Siamese Curtains—Made in one piece; has the effect of a double curtain; 58 inches wide, 3 yards long; worth \$1; sale price, each..... 55C



The New French Irish Point Sash Curtain—Can be used as sash curtain for lower sash; also as door panel; made of finest Irish point lace; worth \$1.50, each..... 49C

DO YOU NEED TOWELS?

If so, here's where you get them way below regular prices!

A thousand dozen towels direct from shipping cases to counter—bargains bought for our expected opening. We haven't room for them, so away they go, at these sacrifice prices!

5c Hemmed Huck Towels for..... 3c
7½c Hemmed Huck Towels for..... 5c
10c Hemmed Huck Towels for..... 7½c
12½c Hemmed Huck Towels for..... 10c
17c Hemmed Huck Towels for..... 12½c

Extra large, heavy, all linen, hemmed Huck Towels that were made for an Eastern concern, and that have their name woven in the border of each towel. Late delivery threw them back on the makers' hands, and we bought them at a big discount. They're regular 25c Towels. Our sale price is..... 15C

5-cent Turkish Wash Cloths at..... 3 for 5c

Slightly soiled Huck and Damask Towels of all kinds and qualities size in a bundle.

Six for 75c Six for \$1.49
Six for 90c Six for \$1.74
Six for \$1.14 Six for \$2.10

Real Renaissance Curtains—Made on French cable net, with lace and insert attached to band; worth \$2.50; sale price, per pair..... 1.19

Real Renaissance Curtains—Made on French cable net, with lace and insert attached to band; worth \$2.50; sale price, per pair..... 1.39



B. NUGENT & BRO. DRY GOODS CO.,
Broadway, Washington Av. and St. Charles St.

Nugents

SILKS AT COTTON PRICES

All new fall colors and styles direct from packing cases to counter! Read these wonderful offers in our great room-making sale and come tomorrow!

Plain Taffeta—All Silk—every wanted color and scarce shade—worth 48c a yard, for..... 27C

Plain Crepe de Chine—All silk—all colors; also Peau de Cygne in neat printed effects—worth 50c—choice for..... 33C

Plain Taffeta—All Silk—in soft and rustling finishes—all colors—worth 50c, for..... 37C

Dress Taffeta—Neat, small woven designs on plain grounds of every wanted shade—worth 50c, for..... 35C

Dress Taffeta—In novelty stripe effects—all the new color grounds—worth 50c, for..... 38C

Plain Silk Crepe de Chine—24 inches wide in browns, tans and black—worth \$1.00 a yard, for..... 48C

Checked Silks—In plain checks and changeable checks—worth \$1.00, for..... 49C

Dress Taffetas—Hair-line stripes in neat Jacquard designs—all new colors—worth \$1.25, for..... 55C

Plain Silk Crepe de Chine—24 inches wide in browns, tans and black—worth \$1.00 a yard, for..... 48C

White Silks—With ribbon headings; special price, per yard..... 23C

\$1.00 Embroidered Allovers—Beautiful patterns for shirt waists, all new designs; special price, per yard..... 69C

Men's Suits—All-wool cassimere, cheviots and worsteads, in new mixtures or plain black—single or double-breasted—the very latest styles—splendidly made and worth \$15.00 our price, Wednesday..... \$10.00

Men's Cravatette Coats—Of fancy mixtures in worsteads, cheviots and cassimeres—every garment guaranteed rainproof—cut correct lengths, with swaged full backs and hand-padded shoulders—an ideal combination fall topcoat and raincoat—regular price \$15.00—here Wednesday..... \$9.75

SALE OF SAMPLE TRUNKS

Direct to the bargain counter! Sample line of Trunks from one of the best manufacturers. The goods are perfect, and as the season is late we secured them at a reduction that means a saving to you of one-fourth to one-third on each Trunk! Steamer Trunks, Skirt Trunks, Wardrobe Trunks, Men's and Ladies' Regular Trunks! No two alike! Come early, or the one you want may be gone!

\$6.00 Sample Trunks... \$4.75 \$16.00 Sample Trunks... \$12.50
\$8.25 Sample Trunks... \$6.50 \$21.95 Sample Trunks... \$15.95
\$10.75 Sample Trunks... \$8.25 \$29.75 Sample Trunks... \$18.25
\$13.95 Sample Trunks... \$10.50 \$39.00 Sample Trunks... \$29.00

PILLOW COVERS

Direct from packing case to counter!

1000 complete Pillow Covers, made of fine striped tapestry, in a great variety of colors, with fancy tassels on each corner; all ready to put the pillow in; here Wednesday at our art needlework counter (on main floor)..... 19C

CLOTHING

FREE WATCHES!—A genuine Yankee Watch, guaranteed for one year, given free with every boy's suit or overcoat bought of us for \$5.00 or over.

Boys' Sweaters—All wool—plain or fancy stripes, including school and college colors—regular \$1.50 Sweaters, Wednesday, for..... 95C

Knee Pants Suits—Of fancy mixtures or plain blue cheviots and cassimeres, in double-breasted style—well-made new fall school suits—worth \$3.00—Wednesday..... \$1.95

Knee Pants Suits—In single or double breasted and Norfolk styles, of all-wool cassimeres and cheviots—perfectly tailored and well lined—a regular \$6.00 Suit, Wednesday, for..... \$3.95

Youth's Suits—Long Trouser Suits of wool cheviots and cassimeres—fancy mixtures or plain colors—single or double-breasted—well tailored—our \$7.50 Youth's Suits for..... \$5.00

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SOUGHT DIVORCE, WINS AN ESTATE

Mrs. Marie Fleming Everest
Brown Estates Made Custo-
dian by Denver Court.

HEROINE OF A ROMANCE

Her Eloping in California
Followed by Marriage Which
Proved Unhappy.

Mrs. Marie Fleming Everest Brown Estates, widow of a wealthy Denver and Chicago man and recent bride of the late St. Louis man, has been awarded the custody of the entire estate of her late husband, Harry G. Brown, according to a telegram from Denver.

Probate Judge Lindsey ordered James J. Brown and John H. Reddin, as trustees of the estate, to make a report of assets, estimated at \$100,000, within two weeks.

The court held that Brown and Reddin, as trustees, had no right to hold control of the estate, and said the holdings should be turned over to the wife, who was appointed administratrix shortly after her husband's death.

Mrs. Everest-Brown Estates is a daughter of Mrs. H. L. Magee of 475 Page Boulevard, and spent her youth in St. Louis, though for two years she has lived chiefly in Denver and Chicago.

Her marriage to Harry G. Brown more than two years ago was most romantic. She met him at Denver; relatives interfered, and she was taken to San Francisco. He followed and she was taken to Los Angeles. He followed again, and one day she escaped from her grandmother and went with him to Santa Barbara. The grandmother learned of their plan, and persuaded them to abandon the elopement and come to St. Louis for a home ceremony.

The period of happiness of the newly married couple was brief, and a year ago both filed suits for divorce. These suits were pending when Brown died.

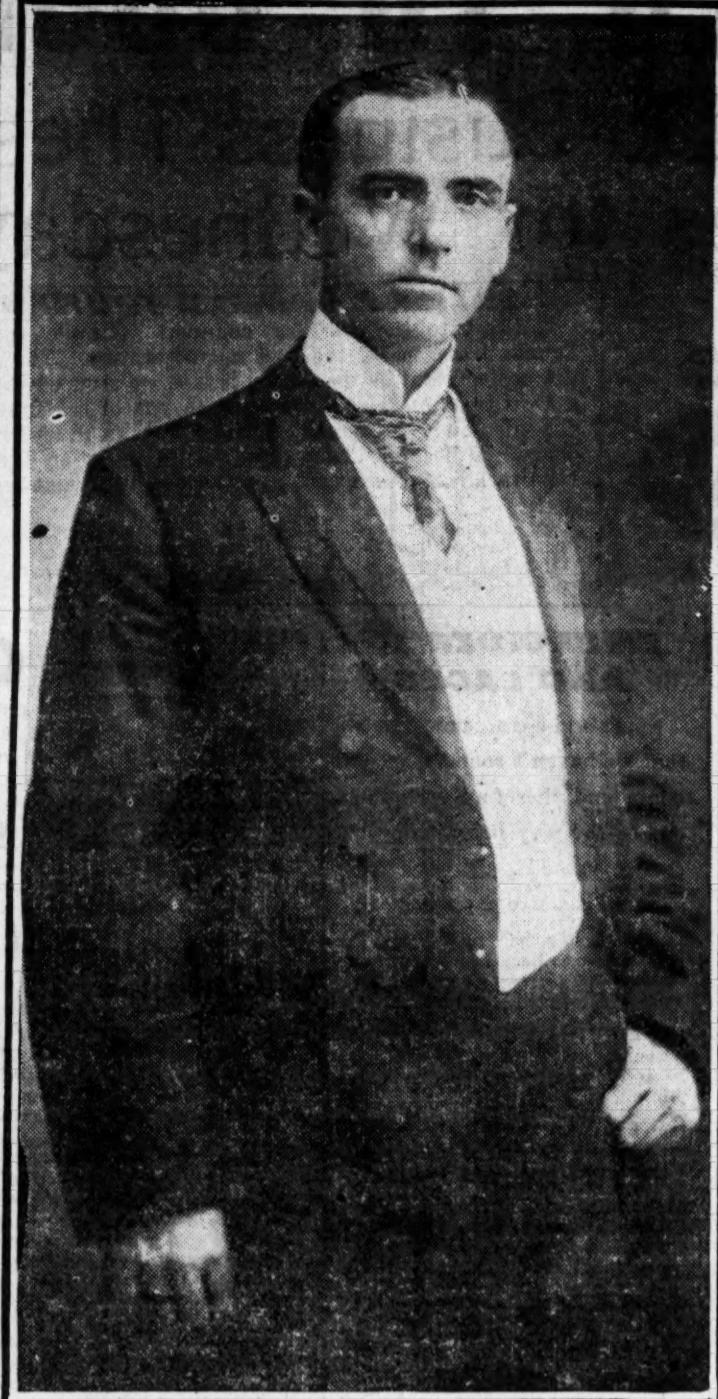
Contest Shows Marriage.

Relatives of Brown immediately began a contest with the widow for the property.

Inning papers in this contest, the widow disclosed the fact that she was no longer a widow, but that soon after her husband's death she had married J. Clark Eastes, who gave East St. Louis as his home.

St. Louis relatives of the young woman declared they knew nothing of the wedding, and avowed their disbelief in the news. Mrs. Magee said she and her daughter were planning an European tour, and she was confident there was nothing in the report of the wed-

Minister Who Says "More Pay Or I'll Practice Law"



REV. F. A. MAYHALL

The Result of a Careful Study Revealed.

Our most important achievement in clothes-craft, both in making and style, is a reflex of genius and skill. It is the embodiment of those principles which from the outset stamped themselves upon the destiny of our Ready-for-Service Clothes.

Our fashionable clothes are the strongest competitors that high-class tailors have, and at a saving of one-third. They illustrate the evolution of a single determined aspiration, that of perfecting ready clothes and maintaining a standard such that would meet the requirements of the most exacting dresser.

We conform closer and closer to this standard which permits only of superior workmanship, and highest skill in hand tailoring.

\$15.00 to \$35.00

Werner Bros.

The Republic Building,
On Olive Street at Seventh.



On These Opening Days

our refreshing new store one is forcibly reminded of the "exposition Days," when the feminine heart found a worthy expression of its most exalted ideals.

Kosenheim's Toggerie Shop
512 Locust Street

"PAY ME ENOUGH TO LIVE LIKE YOU"

St. Louis Minister's Ultimatum
—"More Salary or I'll
Practice Law."

EXPENSE TOO HEAVY

"Must Keep Up With Proces-
sion," Cost High in
Rich Church.

Rev. F. A. Mayhall of Hamilton Avenue Christian Church sticks by the ultimatum he delivered to his congregation Sunday morning.

In a sermon he bluntly said: "Give me sufficient salary to live in the style the congregation expects or permit me to practice law and make in a secular way enough money to live as the pastor of this congregation should live."

Rev. Mr. Mayhall gave his church until Oct. 1 to accept his proposition.

"I want to be a preacher-lawyer or a lawyer-preacher," he told a Post-Dispatch reporter Tuesday. "That is the proposition that I placed before my congregation Sunday morning."

"I have studied over the matter carefully, thoughtfully and my decision is final."

"A preacher must live up to the community he is in or be outcasted. He must maintain the style of living, to a degree that his congregation is accustomed to."

"I do not mean that the minister is expected to live extravagantly. But he must have a home in which his parishioners will find the same comforts as they do in their own homes."

"A minister must keep up with the procession."

"The man who represents a strong church ought to have an income on par with his responsibility."

"No minister can afford to represent Hamilton Avenue Church on a penny basis."

"I will be no worse a pastor because I am a lawyer. My secular calling will not impair my spiritual force."

Judge Charles Schofield of Carthage, Ill., was pastor of the Christian Church there for 27 years, and died in a similar office while he had charge of the church. From a nucleus of 12 he increased the membership to 800.

"I believe the world is to be converted to Christ by practical men, men of affairs; men who will tell sinners facts instead of poetry."

"Some members of my congregation object to my plan, but most of my members are in harmony with me."

"If I should leave this church I would practice law and engage in mission work east of Grand Avenue. There is a great field. They say a preacher can't make a living east of Grand Avenue. What is meant is that wealthy folks have moved westward and churches east of Grand Avenue cannot sustain themselves. The minister's hire is poor."

"I want to stop the criticism that ministers follow the purse rather than the people."

"A minister who is self-sustaining can do more good than one who is dependent. I know some men in St. Louis who work six days a week and still have time to go to a flourishing congregation by his work and Sunday sermons."

"A preacher in charge of a church like mine must be a man of his purse. He must keep up his house. He has many guests. There are church conventions at distant cities he must attend, which costs money to buy new books. There is a constant demand on his purse."

Mr. Mayhall is 30 years of age. He received his ministerial education at Christian University at Canton, Mo., and then came to St. Louis where he entered Washington University. Law school was graduated. He represented the parishes of the Louisiana Christian Church to come to St. Louis.

For two years he was at the First Christian Church at Eleventh and Tyler streets.

PROPOSED TO FIFTEEN.

Man Nabbed by Police While Making
Offer of Marriage.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LACROSSE, Wis., Sept. 19.—He had proposed to 14-year-old girl and was on his knees to kiss her, confessing ardent love to the fifteenth, when he was taken in to him by his sanity examiner.

He gave the name of James J. Sullivan, but where he hails from is a mystery. He appeared Sunday and asked the police to let him marry to him.

"He did not disclose his name, on proposing to every woman he met. He was not particularly ugly or bad-tempered. His wife turned him down when he asked her to marry him. The police started after him his record was only 11, but he ran it up to 15 before he was taken in.

SEES RAILROAD MEN.

Senator Elkins Preparing for Action on
Rate of Marriage.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Senator Stephen B. Elkins of West Virginia is in New York to be present at the opening of the various railroad and business men on the subject of railroad and tariff legislation to be considered by Congress in the coming session.

As chairman of the Senate Interstate Committee, Mr. Elkins will be present at the railroad legislation in the Senate. He predicts that a rate regulation bill will pass this winter, but that a prolonged and bitter fight will result over the subject of tariff revision is considered.

LOST LOVE WITH MONEY.

Pittsburg Woman, 40, Has Sweetheart,
21, Arrested—Breaks Engagement.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 19.—Five days after McKeever, a bright young man of 21 years, is in serious trouble. He was today held under \$50 bail, charged with having been

alleged to have "touched" his aged sweetheart twice his age, for \$197

and \$100. Miss Mary Doss, of 32 Ross Street, Pittsburgh, who confessed more than 40 years and to having had a lot of love for Freddie, made the complaint that she had been engaged, which had existed, and says Freddie will have to go into court.

GOLD WATCH FROM WITTE

Secret Service Officer Galieher Reward-
ed for Attending Russian.

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—Albert Galieher, a Government secret service man who was assigned to the duty of the peace commission received two fine gold watches and a gold watch suitably inscribed. The watch was accompanied by an autograph letter from M. Witte, commanding the talents of Galieher in his business.

THE GENERAL

Compressed Air House Cleaning Co. after having cleaned your Carpets and Rugs, washed your floors and window-panes.

Will Perfume Your House

Kill the moths and bugs, kill disease germs and leave your premises all

Sweet and Clean

General Compressed Air House Cleaning Co.

Call for the wind wagon. Both Phones.

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50c Ribbons, 29c

BEAUTIFUL Dresden
Floral Ribbons in
rich colorings on
white grounds with
plain or colored
edges; all pure silk, 50c to
75c ribbons. Very spe-
cial values at only, yd. 29c
Main Floor—Center Aisle.

The May Co.
The Really
Different Store.
Washington Ave. and
Sixth Street.

10c to 25c Laces, 5c
HOUSANDS of yards
of black and white
silk Chantilly, lace
widths from 2 to 5
inches wide. Also
silk Renaissance, two
inches wide. Unad 10c to 25c
values. Wednesday at, yd. 5c
Main Floor—Aisle Two.

Handsome New Tailored Suits at \$18.50

THE limit in high-class tailored Outerwear has been reached in these charming Autumn Suits at \$18.50. Indeed, you will look long and patiently before you will find them equal at \$25. They're the new long 50-inch coat models in the manly tweeds, in light or dark grays and blue mixtures. Besides the long-coat styles we are showing a number of the short-coat modes in the new blouse effects, with bodice belts, trimmed with braids and lined with taffeta silks. Altogether they are magnificent tailored suits the tempting price of only

Very Handsome New Autumn Tailored Suits at \$25.00

One of the most effective styles which we have just added to our collection is a new long, fitted coat style in the manly effects with perfect lines throughout. These have manly collars, lapels and sleeves. Some are welt seamed and others have a number of closely stitched straps, tapering to a point at the waist and broadening over the shoulders. They're handsome \$35 suits; your choice at the special price of... \$25.00

New Autumn Lace Waists, \$4.95

New Raincoats for Early Fall

Four distinct new styles of the new Lace Waists which are in such vogue for dress wear. These come in cream or white lace over a Japanese silk body. Clever yoke effects, trimmed with insertions and medallions. New sleeves with long tight cuffs. Special values \$4.95

Superb Costumes for the Veiled Prophet Ball

The cleverest creations of two continents compose this collection of high-class wraps and costumes, many of which were imported expressly for this occasion. A noteworthy feature is our showing of spangled gowns—the richest shown in St. Louis. All the proper evening shades. Prices range from... \$25 to \$200

Second Floor—Five Elevators and the Moving Stairway to give quick service.

New 69c Fancy Silks, 45c

EDNESDAY we will offer new
69c 19-inch fancy silks in
stripes and checks in all the
late fall designs, at yard 45c

55c Taffetas at 55c—19-inch Colored Taffetas, in all the wanted shades with the chiflon finish; regular 55c grades, at 45c yards, 55c on.

Handsome Black Taffetas, a soft, lux-
urious 55c quality; these are 55c in
width; special for Wednesday, yd. \$1.08

Elegant White Jap Silks, in a splendid heavy
silky fabric, with a soft, lustrous texture offered
under \$1.25; special for Wednesday, yd. 98c

New Plate Silks, in all the newest Scotch
and Irish effects; these are very stylish for
wedding; a splendid quality; special for
Wednesday, yd. 51.39

Main Floor—Robe Section.

For the V. P. Ball

BEAUTIFUL Spangled and
Lace Robes, imported ex-
pressly for this important
occasion. We are displaying
all the season's extreme novelties.

Black Spangled Robes from \$6.98 to \$25.
White and Cream Lace Robes, \$10 to \$35.

White Spangled Robes, from \$25 to \$50.
Chiffon and Renaissance Robes, \$50 to \$125.

Black Silk Oriental Robes, \$50 to \$150.

Main Floor—Robe Section.

New 89c Panamas, 59c

BEAUTIFUL 52-inch Panamas
Cloths in brown, tan, myrtle,
reseda, navy, red and marine
blue; 89c quality, at yard 59c

55c Mohairs at 49c—53-inch Sicilian
hairs, in a very lustrous, durable 65 quality;
special for Wednesday. We will sell them at
49c per yard.

45c Velvets, a fine light weight for
early fall wear; all the new colorings,
in a splendid grade at, per yard, only... 59c

45c Black Heartlets, in a soft, silken
silky grade which is really worth
the price. Special for Wednesday.

45c English Mohairs, in large plaid
and small check effects; these
colorings, very fine dress fab-
rics; Wednesday you may have them at... 51c

Main Floor—Sixth Street Entrance.

Another Great Lace Curtain Purchase

MASTERFUL buying achievement at the very opening of the fall season. Thousands of pairs of high grade lace curtains, purchased from a large importer and maker at a very great concession. These goods represent the accumulation after fall orders had been filled and we count ourselves indeed fortunate in securing them.

51c Lace Curtains, 59c—Pretty
Curtains effect Nottingham Lace
Curtains 3 yards long and 40
inches wide; various designs; regular
values at, pair... 59c

51c Curtains at 59c—Scotch Lace
Curtains in neat lace effects also
here. French designs; regular
values at, pair... 98c

51c Curtains at \$1.50—Just half for
heavy Cordon Net lace curtains with
rich openwork and Spacel designs; reg-
ular \$1.50 values at, pair... 98c

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FLEES FROM ALTAR; ELOPES ON TRAIN

Montana Girl Deserts Suitor in Church Waiting for the Ceremony.

RUSHES TO SWEETHEART

Couple Scramble on Cars and Are Wedded by Minister Passenger.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
BILLINGS, Mont., Sept. 19.—Miss Maud Gravell, daughter of State Senator C. O. Gravell, deserted her promised husband at the altar here today and five minutes later eloped with Everett D. Ferris to whom she was married by a clergyman on the train as they went to Livingston.

As the train pulled out the girl's parents, Ellis Judd of Chanute, Kan., the deserted suitor, and members of the broken bridal party rushed to the depot from the church in time to see the elopers waving handkerchiefs at them from the car window.

Mr. Judd, who is prominent in his home town, came here several days ago to marry Miss Gravell, who had been his sweetheart for several years, but whom he had not seen for more than a year. Everything was in readiness for the wedding this morning the guests were in the church and the bridegroom to be was waiting in the vestibule.

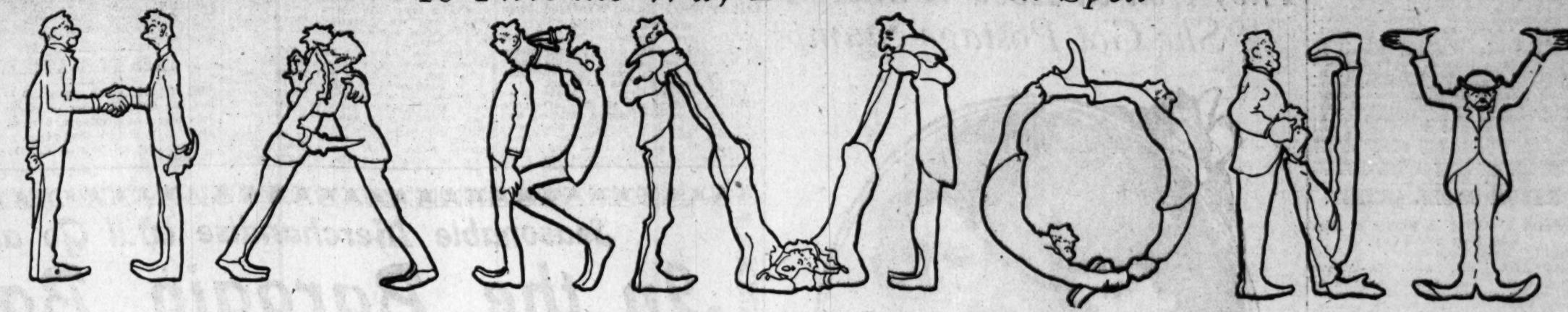
"Tell them I will be ready in a minute," said Miss Gravell, addressing the bridesmaids. Then she slipped out of the parsonage, which adjoins the church. Dashing across the street she entered a drug store where Ferris is a clerk.

"I can't and won't marry Mr. Judd," she gasped.

"Even if he is rich," and she flung her arms around Ferris.

Ferris, who had long loved the girl, who is pretty and wealthy in her own right, grasped the opportunity and putting on his hat, he seized the young woman arrayed in all her bridal finery and rushed for the Northern Pacific train which was just pulling out. The couple scrambled on to the last car amid the cheering of the passengers.

Rev. John M. Brownson of Timberline



At the Suburban Park Love Feast Tonight?

\$500,000 DEED OF TRUST IS FILED

Commercial Building Figures
in Transaction Not En-
tirely Completed.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LITCHFIELD, Ill., Sept. 19.—Miss Mamie Sipes lies in a precarious condition at the home of Mrs. John O'Brien, 32 South Lincoln street, after eating nine pieces of cheap mixed candy, which she says was given to her by a woman. Whether or not the condition of the girl is the result of eating the containing poison is not known.

Miss Sipes says a woman gave her the candy, but none of the candy can be identified. The accused woman has suddenly moved from the city, not giving her destination.

Miss Sipes, who is 16 years old and a student, came to Litchfield from Peoria last summer. Monday she went to near-by meat market for the evening meal. On her way home, she says, a woman took nine pieces of candy from her pocket and handed them to her.

She took nine pieces of candy from the reaching home she became ill and then unconscious.

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DID WOMAN GIVE POISONED CANDY?

Litchfield Girl Ill After Eating
Sweets, and Donor
Missing.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LITCHFIELD, Ill., Sept. 19.—Miss Mamie Sipes lies in a precarious condition at the home of Mrs. John O'Brien, 32 South Lincoln street, after eating nine pieces of cheap mixed candy, which she says was given to her by a woman. Whether or not the condition of the girl is the result of eating the containing poison is not known.

Miss Sipes says a woman gave her the candy, but none of the candy can be identified. The accused woman has suddenly moved from the city, not giving her destination.

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WHAT DID M'CALL PAY \$100,000 FOR?

N. Y. Life President Will Be
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Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Determined steps are being taken by counsel to the committee to get at all the secrets of the \$100,000 payment made by President McCall of New York to Andrew Hamilton, an Albany lawyer and alleged lobbyist.

Subpensas were served upon a number of officers of the New York State Bank of Albany, in which Hamilton deposited the two checks for \$55,000 and \$46,000 the day after he received them, on March 9, 1904.

The bank officers were notified to produce before the committee all of the books and other records concerning Hamilton's account in the bank. If any considerable portion of the \$100,000 was withdrawn by himself or on orders to "teach" this will be known as certain proof that the payment to Hamilton had nothing whatever to do with the "Home Office Annex" account to which it was charged in the books of the company, or to the purchase of property which the company made at the corner of Worth and Center streets, in this city.

One of the employees of the company testified that he understood the \$100,000 was to be used in connection with the real estate purchase.

Why Hamilton should have deposited in an Albany bank money intended for the payment of his expenses in this city he could not explain, neither could George W. Perkins.

The Albany lawyer's records will be scrutinized to see if Hamilton had relations of any sort with the other insurance companies. A politician familiar with the world of insurance and the insurance companies said today that "Judge" Hamilton was not known merely as the Albany agent of the New York Life, but was also a general agent of the Equitable and the Mutual; that the legislative interests of the three big companies were identical, and that what one wanted done all three wanted.

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Ordinarily this prudence, he said, would have them to deal with one man instead of three.

Mr. Hughes will call on the New York Life for every document one book bearing his name or office, Annex Account; and to trace to its origin every entry it contains.

Not Through With Perkins.

Mr. Hughes has not yet finished with George W. Perkins as a witness. When he gets through with him the plan is to get off the stand and then call President McCall and give him a chance to tell what he will about the \$100,000 mystery.

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William Nelson Cromwell, who reported to the committee all the documents bearing upon the \$65,000 "yellow dog fund" of the Equitable Life, but became a lawyer, has been subpoenaed, but is not bound by the confidential relations of lawyer and client.

The bulk of the \$65,000 went to political contributions and a large sum for the purchase of 87 shares of Equitable Life stock held by persons who threatened legal proceedings if the shares were sold, with the Mercantile Trust as part collateral for the "loan."

When Jordan, McIntyre and Alexander sold the \$65,000 to Thomas F. Ryan, they sold the 87 shares to Thomas F. Ryan for approximately one-half of \$65,000, making it necessary for the three to raise in cash to the remaining \$340,000.

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CULLOM BOOMED BY HIS FRIENDS

Illinois Senator, Who "Looks Like Lincoln," Told Can Have Another Term.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 18.—Senator Shelby M. Cullom who told things that made him great at a conference here today between himself and about 100 of his political friends, allies and supporters.

Nineteen counties in Central and Western Illinois were represented. Many of those present told Senator Cullom at the conference that he returned to the United States Senate without opposition.

The conference was the first of a series of meetings that are to be held over the State in the interest of the man who looks like Lincoln.

He will speak at 8 p. m. on Wednesday in the Hotel Roosevelt, 10th and Washington, in the city. The hall is an ordinary and was open to the public, a 40-foot ladder onto a pile of machinery and was injured in his spine.

appeared most flattering to Senator Cullom's candidacy.

Among the better-known politicians who participated in the conference were: Congressman Zebedee J. Rivers, Litchfield; Judge George R. Jones, Hillsboro; United States Marshal John E. Ames, Chicago; Judge Lemmon, Clinton; D. W. Taylor, Litchfield; R. F. Bernard, Marion; J. W. McElroy, Litchfield; McKinney, Clinton; H. W. Kerr, Carlinville; Edward Greenleaf, Jacksonville; H. P. Rogers, Waverly; Internal Revenue Collector, R. D. Duguchi, E. J. Mitchell, Centralia; M. D. King and J. W. Stauffer, Pittsfield; United States Senator, P. J. St. George; other Representative, Frank J. Heintz, Jacksonville, and Mr. Bancroft, Jacksonville.

SHRUM UNDER ARREST.

Accused of Aiding in Murder of Miss King Near Schell City.

NEVADA, Mo., Sept. 19.—Arthur Shrums, the young farmer arrested in Henry County yesterday, was brought here today for a preliminary hearing on the charge of aiding in the murder of Miss Allie King at Schell City, near here.

Miss King was found dead in bed at her home last week. Immediately after Shrums left home, which was near Miss King's, he drove to Rich Hill, took a train to Kansas City and afterward went to Henry County.

MAN FELL 40 FEET.

Henry, Mo., Sept. 19.—A man, 40 years old, of 203 Jasper Park, Mo., was injured while at work on a grain elevator at Fruit Station, Ill., was said to be out of danger yesterday. The man, who was apparently ill, must depend upon his friends to get his claims and his record before the people.

The grain elevator was held in the Leland

The reports from the various counte

ries also attend the Marquette, and

both children are there. Today—but

Lloyd is under a cloud of sorrow and

humiliation. He is trembling at the

thought of being taken to the Juvenile

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When she heard the boy's story Mrs.

Green turned to her husband, but gave

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KIMMELL'S KANSAS RECORD WAS GOOD

Made Friends While Cashier of Arkansas City Bank; Became Erratic.

HOW HE WAS DISCOVERED

Told Fellow Prisoner His Story, Which Latter Repeated When Released.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ARKANSAS CITY, Kan., Sept. 19.—George A. Kimmell came here in the spring of 1898 from Niles, Mich., where he had been assistant cashier of the First National Bank, and assumed the cashier's duties of the Farmers' State Bank here.

He made firm friends, was congenial and a "good mixer." He was very temperate in his habits and not extravagant in the least. He was an ordinary dresser, never had more than two business suits a year. His only hobby was horseback riding. He was a member of the Episcopal Church here and attended regularly. He boarded at the hotel all the time he was here.

His mother and sister visited him in March, 1898, and were his guests six weeks at the hotel. His most intimate friend here noticed Kimmell had grown erratic and nervous before his disappearance. He said once he "could not restrain himself." He complained of pain in the head and ear and was treated for it here.

When he came here for Topeka he was worried over township bonds he went to market. Matters had to be handled quickly and he was exasperated to find the State Treasurer at a ball game.

He left the bonds at State Superintendent's office with instructions to give them to the treasurer and have warrants forwarded to his bank here. Then he telephoned to a Kansas City bank to have \$35,000 at the Midland when he arrived. He got it all right and got the money and disappeared.

No shortage was found in accounts here. His private account was slightly overdrawn but there was enough property was left to cover it.

He was regarded here as a man of good character.

Charles L. Brown, local Santa Fe attorney, who went to identify the body, said today Kimmell, the missing banker, had made up the story his visit to the hospital was supposed to be Kimmell.

According to the story told Mr. Brown by the supposed Kimmell, he was doped in Kansas City, on Wyandotte street, in a physician's office and has never been rational since. Four men were in the physician's office at the time and Kimmell was left in charge of a physician, who kept him later to St. Louis and Detroit.

Mr. Dugan, the railroad wreck, Kimmell said his head was badly hurt, and the doctor disappeared. The man claimed to be Kimmell said he later went to New York, where he committed forgery and was sentenced to the Criminal Insane Asylum at Buffalo, and was transferred over a year ago to the Matoway Asylum.

A man who had been confined at Matoway, but had been discharged as cured, happened to an Arkansas City banker, who was staying at the same hotel. The paper was mailed to White, or Kimmell, and he at once wrote the insurance company telling them his condition and advising them not to pay the insurance policies.

VINCENTS EXCURSION Sunday, Sept. 24, via B. & O. S.W.

WANTS A WORLD'S FAIR.

New Yorkers Planning for a Permanent Exposition on the Hudson.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Active work is going on in this city looking toward a permanent World's Fair, to be opened in 1908, in celebration of the tri-centennial celebration of the discovery of the Hudson River. Offices have been opened in the city, and the plans for the location of the enterprise and options have been obtained on a large tract of land at Yonkers, from the New York Central, the Hudson, near Peekskill, where it is proposed to locate the exposition.

With the return of Gov. Higgins from Europe, Sept. 22, it is expected the expedition will assume concrete form.

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Natural Laxative. Water moves the Bowels copiously and gives a pleasant, satisfied feeling that nothing else will—no griping—no purging.

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IF MAN WERE MADE FROM CHEWING GUM.



SOUGHT DEATH; WON'T TELL WHY

Man Who Swallowed Acid in Park Silent to Wife's Entreaties.

HIS WATCH IS MISSING

Son Begins Investigation of Disposal of Valuable Time-piece Father Wore.

At her husband's bedside in City Hospital Tuesday, Mrs. Julius S. Rechnitzer of 1521 Arlington avenue implored him to tell her why he had swallowed acid in Forest Park.

Rechnitzer seemed deeply affected by his wife's entreaties, but remained silent. To his son, Alexander, and to Dr. Heine Marks he refused also to make known the nature of the poison he had taken.

Dr. Marks told the wife and son that the patient's condition was such that he could safely be removed to Missouri Baptist Sanatorium, and they set about to arrange for the transfer.

That the poison was taken deliberately to end life was shown by the note found in the half-conscious man's coat pocket as he lay on Sycamore Street.

The note read:

"Whoever finds my body, I implore with my dying breath that you take it to my home on Arlington avenue. Do not send it to the Morgue."

J. S. RECHNITZER.

Watch is Missing

At the hospital this morning Alexander Rechnitzer made inquiry about his father's personal property and was told that the watch and chain which he was received at the hospital. As he had a valuable gold watch when he left home, the son commenced an investigation.

Rechnitzer was picked up a minute after arriving and told by George Oertel, park watchman, the watchman summoned Mounted Patrolman Hutton, and he was carried to Dr. E. A. Babler's office, on North Euclid avenue.

The wife and son said that they knew of no harm to other things which had been carried away, and Mrs. Rechnitzer said that he left home Monday in a cheerful mood.

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TRAVELERS TIED UP IN RED TAPE

Health Regulations Delay Persons Who Want to Go South.

SYSTEM IS OMBERSOME

If You Would Save Trouble, Read of One Man's Long Struggle.

It might be funny if one could forget the money lost, the time wasted and the worn nerves.

A man wanted to go to a little town in North Central Arkansas. It is in the Ozark foothills and bears the name of Ozark. He had transportation over the iron mountain to Little Rock and over the Little Rock & Fort Smith road to Ozark. He also had a sleeper berth ticket for which he had expended \$2.50.

At the Union Station gate leading from the Midway into the tramped a man barred his way. "Have you a health certificate?" the gatekeeper demanded.

The man never felt better in his life and looked it. He had no certificate save his rubricate viene.

"You'll have to go to the ticket office and get a certificate or you'll be put off the train," the gatekeeper insisted.

The man went to the ticket office and searched for the health officer. At the east end of the southern aisle in the main waiting room he found a queue containing 33 men, solid Italian laborers and ladies.

Conscious that he imperiled the health of no community the man tried to get a certificate from one of three idle clerks, for the queen's head moved slowly and train time was approaching. The idle clerks refused to issue the certificate.

"See the doctor," they said.

"The doctor," was passing upon the passenger and the men, Italians, and ladies in the line.

"But I'm a citizen of St. Louis," insisted the man. "I haven't been anywhere but in the city for a year or two, never sick or fever or any other infectious disease."

"Oh, if you're a St. Louisian," said one of the men, "you've got to go to City Hall for a certificate. Can you read the sign?" He referred to some heart-curled cards strung up over the grand entrance which heralded out an indignant public from the office.

"City Hall is closed. My train leaves at 5:30. City Hall will not be open before the next train leaves in the morning and I'll be compelled to lose 24 hours," the man insisted.

The man got into the waiting room and was stretched up to the waiting room end of the aisle. He moved down gradually and reached the City Hall door, said the doctor. "This office is for the traveling public. Can't you read the sign?"

The man reminded "the doctor" that going to City Hall would involve the loss of two trains and a delay of 24 hours besides a loss of money.

"Can't help it," said the man, "the only response."

The man telephoned the chief dispensary physician, to whom he turned, and stated his predicament. The chief dispensary physician asked the man to send "the doctor" to the phone. The doctor, however, refused to consider the issuance of a health certificate, which the man obtained at 9:05 on the 19th, 2 hours and 25 minutes after he had been in the structure for the coveted bit of paper and 45 minutes after the departure of the train on which he had engaged accommodations.

And now for the great comedy of the whole business—the certificate was the man's own affliction, which he had in St. Louis for 10 days and had not been in an infected district for 30 days and that is now his good health.

"A. S. Snodgrass, M. D., Health Commissioner," and "Frank A. J. Hiller, Clerk of the Board of Health and Health Commissioner," signed the office in the Union Station with rubber stamped paper containing a recommendation for him making the affidavit recommending that "the Louis Health Department recommends that he not be allowed to go to his destination."

There was just one good point about the certificate. It bore a black line: "This certificate is not valid if paid for."

CLASH OF AUTHORITY OVER INSPECTION.

The inspection of incoming Mobile & Ohio trains by St. Louis physicians, which begins at Sparta, Ill., was interrupted Tuesday by a clash of authority.

H. R. Fournour, City Physician, boarded the train as usual to examine the health certificates of incoming passengers.

He was stopped by a doctor representing himself as Dr. William D. Krohn, who said he had been instructed by the secretary of the Illinois State Board of Health to prevent the examination of certificates in Illinois by the St. Louis representatives.

Dr. Fournour said that he was threatened with arrest if he continued in his attempt to examine health certificates. He then desisted and reported the incident to the Health Commissioner upon his return to St. Louis.

PICKED DYNAMITE WITH PIN.

John McNeary, aged 15, of 5047 Bartow, was suffering from the loss of a thumb and fingers of his left hand, the result of picking a dynamite cap with a pin. The thumb and fingers of his right hand were badly lacerated.

Fifty Years the Standard

DR.

PRICE'S

CREAM

BAKING

POWDER

A Cream of Tartar Powder

Made From Grapes

No Alum

D'AURIGNAC, BROTHER OF MADAME HUMBERT, APPEALS TO AMERICANS

Ordered Deported, the French Insurance Promoter Describes His Operations as Like to the Equitable and New York Life, Whose Officers Are Honored, and Begs to Remain.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Monsieur Romaine D'Aurignac will be sent back to France next Thursday on La Touraine, the same steamer that brought him to this coast last Saturday.

But before he goes he desires the American people to think well upon his case, which is summing up exactly like that of the great financiers in the Equitable, the New York Life and the Mutual Life Insurance companies.

"If these gentlemen," he says, "remain here undisturbed, honored and rightly honored—by their fellow citizens, why should I who have done in France what they have done in dollars, be sent away in disgrace?"

M. D'Aurignac is the brother of Mme. Humbert, who is now in prison in France under conviction for fraud in that she persuaded financiers to lend her many millions of francs on the security of millions of dollars, now alleged to be mythical. She said they belonged to the late Crawford, an American, and were left in care of her and her husband in the big safe.

But M. D'Aurignac was not convicted for any participation in this swindle. He was convicted of having been "accessory to the formation of an unlawful corporation" and sentenced to three years' imprisonment, which he recently completed.

"In what respect was my Board of Corporators different from the Board of Directors of the Equitable Life Corporation?" My servants were always answerable to me, just as much as the dummy directors of your great insurance society were answerable to any body.

"The Equitable is a magnificent property. Mr. Thomas Ryan was bought for \$2,500,000 the controlling interest of stock owned by Mr. Hyde. He has bought a grand business, known and honored all over the world. And he has made trustees Messrs. Grover Cleveland, George Westinghouse and Morgan J. O'Brien. Can anything be more honorable than these names? Yet what stock do these honorable gentlemen own? What actual control have they more than my servants had of the Reitentes Vlageres?

"And wherein is the New York Life Corporation? Co. different from Reitentes Vlageres in the number of having servants for officers? We were not mere servants faithful officers, and has not the Reitentes Vlageres paid up in full every cent of the money they received?"

And how does my act differ from that of the controllers of the New York Security and Trust Co., the New York Life and the Mutual?

"My company was the Reitentes Vlageres. We dealt in annuities. An old man came to us to deposit, say \$100 francs, and we agreed to pay him for the rest of his life 100, 200 or 300 francs a year, according to his age, condition and habits, and his expectation of life as established by the well-known tables. It was a perfectly legitimate business in many ways resembling life insurance, yet operating conversely to the general scheme of life insurance."

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RAMSEY ANGRY
AT PERSONAL
INSINUATION

"Kindest to Say Nothing," Said
Gould, Asked About Presi-
dent's Claims.

LITTLE KANAWHA DEAL

"Got In, Let Him Get Out,"
Says Executive of
Financier.

REASSERTS WILL WIN

But Wabash Head Refuses to
Tell How He Is Going
to Do It.

By Lizzie Winc From the New York
Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—An insinuation
that Joseph Ramsey Jr. is mentally
and physically in bad shape has
stirred that man's fighting blood until
hope of a reconciliation with George J.
Gould has gone glimmering.

There has been some hope of a settle-
ment of their differences and Wabash
security holders were striving to mend
when Ramsey's feelings were hurt.

When George J. Gould was asked to
give his views on Mr. Ramsey's claims
he shook his head.

"The kindest thing I can do," he said,
"is to say nothing."

This remark of Gould's, coming on
top of the insinuation by others, is said
to have angered Ramsey greatly.

Mr. Ramsey is busy fixing fences.
"Will you estimate your strength?"
he was asked.

"I would be a fool to do that," he re-
plied. "I will not tell an enemy in ad-
vance where I am going to hit him. I
feel that I have a good chance for re-
election even if the Gould interest is
of the property."

Mr. Ramsey had nothing to say of
the rumors that the Rockefeller, Penn-
sylvania or Vanderbilt interests are be-
hind him, repeating that those who con-
trol the proxies of the independent hold-
ers would win.

"I am not going into this fight backed
by anyone but Wabash stockholders,"
he again said.

He said he had not met Mr. Gould,
did not expect to meet him, and had
had no communication with him.

About Little Kanawha.
When asked what the Wabash would
do with the Little Kanawha proper-
ties Mr. Ramsey replied:

"This is a great, broad country, and
the Wabash is not confined to one route
to the seaboard. It might be a better
or less expensive route by Little Kan-
awha, but another could undoubtedly be
met. You know it is said that the Wabash
could never get into Pittsburgh,
but she got in all right. I guess she
can get out, too."

One thing was made certain today in
relation to the fight for control of the
Wabash between President Ramsey and
George Gould, and that is that no clique
of financiers is back of Ramsey.

It is known that the Goulds own 40
per cent of Wabash securities, and in
accordance with the custom of the family
since Jay Gould's day, depend for
control upon proxies or the purchase
of open market of the other 11 per cent.
The fact that John D. Rockefeller Jr.
and John W. Gates, through holdings
in Wheeling & Lake Erie and Wabash
interests, may have a proxy vot-
er power is well known, but Wall
Street does not think that they have
"tied up" with Ramsey.

There is, however, an independent hold-
ing of Wabash and allied securities on line for the time.

MINERS VOTE NO.

Machine Men at Four Illinois Mines Re-
ject Mitchell's Advice.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 19.—Despite
the advice given yesterday by President John
F. Mitchell, chairman of the secretary of the
unions at Virden, Thayer, Davenport
and Auburn have voted against a return to
work. The miners at the four
places named will remain shut down and
1800 men will continue out of work.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch
readers every day than it has people.
First in everything.

PARIS THIEVES GET \$40,000.

PARIS, Sept. 19.—The Marquise de
Angulo, mother of the secretary of the
Anglo-American Bank, was stopped
at the Hotel Continental, and was
robbed of \$40,000 and a quantity of
jewels. The police are actively search-
ing for Wabash and allied securities on line for the time.

This your head to the left?

Then there's no use trying. It's too late! Noth-
ing in the world can make hair grow on a bald
scalp that has been smooth and shiny for years.
It's too late! No use trying now!

Or is this yours to the right?

Good. Only look out for dandruff! It leads
straight to baldness. But there's use trying now,
for Ayer's Hair Vigor cures dandruff, keeps
the scalp clean and healthy, and checks falling hair.

Made by the A. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
Also manufacturers of
AYER'S SARSAPARILLA—For the blood. AYER'S PILLS—For constipation.
AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL—For coughs. AYER'S AGUE CURE—For malaria and ague.

JUDGE TRACY
MAKING WAR
ON MASHERS

"I Will Do All I Can to Elim-
inate Them From Com-
munity," He Says.

ARE OF THREE CLASSES

"The High-Collar Boy With the
Cigarette Annoying, but
Not Dangerous.

MASHERS ARE NUMEROUS

The Dangerous Ones, Says
Judge, Are Apparently
Moral Degenerates.

"If I can possibly do it I will elim-
inate the masher from the commu-
nity."

Judge Daniel O'Connell Tracy of City
Hall Police Court reiterated today his
ultimatum against the mashing frater-
nity.

"I would not precipitate a quar-
rel with those in the secretary's office
attempting to see the books when I
was refused access to them."

About Examining Books.

"It is perfectly true that as president
I would have the right to go into the
vaults and get those books, but I have
been refused admission to them I did
not wish to force the question."

"Do you include the Rockefellers?"
"I do not know what their interests
are nor do I know what proportion of
the securities he held outright by the
Rockefellers."

"Was any attempt made by the Board
of Directors to restrict your powers as
president?"

"None whatever."

"Have you then reassumed your duties
as president of the Wabash?" What are
your relations to Mr. Delano, the vice-
president, and Mr. Gould, the acting
president?"

"Mr. Gould is not now acting presi-
dent," Mr. Ramsey replied. "There is
no acting president while I am here.
I am sure the Board of Directors would
not authorize that."

"You say in your call for proxies that
you were refused admission to the stock
books of the company. As president,
have you not the right to inspect those
books?"

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vaults and get those books, but I have
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"Are you, as president, attending to
details of operation of the Wabash?"

"I have made no demand that these
matters be brought to my attention.
However I am familiar in a general
way with what is going on."

Mr. Ramsey was asked whether his
success at the coming annual meeting
would mean that Mr. Gould would be
eliminated as a factor in the manage-
ment of the Wabash. He replied: "I
would do nothing detrimental to the
interests of the members of the
Wabash, but I do not believe that
they have no vicious motives. They are
more amusing than dangerous."

"I have reference to the high-collar
boy who gobbles his lunch, pushes a
cigarette into his face and saunters
forth on the busy thoroughfare giving
the girls a good stare. He has a
cigarette in his mouth and a smile on
his face, and that is all."

"The masher is divided into three
classes," continued Judge Tracy to the
Post-Dispatch. "The first class is made
up of the young dudes who make their
appearance at noon on Broadway. They
like to annoy the girls by making 'go-
go' eyes. They are perfectly harmless
as they have no vicious motives. They
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"The second class includes the con-
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'killer.' He picks out his victim,
follows her or the streets, makes in-
sulting remarks, takes advantage of a
woman's timidity and compels her
against her will to accept his disgusting
attempts.

"He approaches a woman after follow-
ing her for several blocks, and in a
stake voice says, 'I beg your pardon,
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times he is real bold and says, 'If you
don't mind, I'll just walk along with you.'
Even after his victim has resented
his intrusion he persists in his
annoying pastime until a policeman comes
in sight and then he sneaks off like the
cat he is."

"The third class is composed exclu-
sively of the moral degenerate who at-
tacks women with evil intent. He
works at night under cover of dark-
ness whereas the other two classes
work mostly in the daytime. He at-
tacks women, girls and even children.
He is a most vicious character, one
of whom the law cannot deal too severely
with."

Conceited Wretches.

"The above are necessary to pre-
vent the specified fund of \$400,000. If
I prefer the \$40 can be had at once,
we may as well do it."

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The Heinegabubaler

ANOTHER SKINDICATE STORY

By IVAN WHIN
The Post-Dispatch Novelist.

W HEN Bobbie heard what Mose had accomplished in Paducah his smooth, babyish girlish or boyish face was contorted with rage. "To think we let that goat work that game!" he exclaimed.

Bobbie was what old ladies call a nice boy. He never swore, smoked or drank. Also he was never known to tell along legitimate lines, yet the glory of Solomon alone was comparable to his sartorial splendor. Chief of a gang of St. Louis brigands he only stopped short of the use of knockout-drops and weapons in dealing innocents from their money.

"If we don't do something to that Sinner I'll go to St. Vincent's. Think of something, Mac. I don't care if there isn't a pfeinst in it."

"Pfennig," said Mac reflectively. He was pleasantly engaged in thought while the gang sat comfortable and silent on the leather cushions of a Planters bar nook. At length Hobbs grew impatient.

"Open your face, Mac, and let us into the joke," he said.

Mac's twitching lips parted in a smile. "You fellows know what it is a heinegabubaler? Not? Well, I tell you." "Cut the Rogers Brothers," Bobbie scoffed.

"Can't. It's part of the joke. Heinegabubaler is Rogersbrothersweberbands language. It sounds like Dutch but it ain't. It's plain to you steer a green and almost to have fun with him. You take him upstairs to show him the art gallery, stand him on a trap in front of a picture and a stuffed club falls, soaking his head, or a stream of dirty water squirts out of the pictured girl's eye and hits him in the face. Then he goes into a washroom to clean up and when he turns the faucet to get water in the bowl a shower falls all over him. He's ready to go home by himself about this time, and starts downstairs. You turn a crank at the top and the stairs fold up into a slick slide and he goes ker-plunk to the bottom. If he isn't dead or mangy by this time he acknowledges that he's a heine, sure enough, and treats the crowd. They vary the joke a good deal, but the guy always gets the worst of it."

"Well?" queried Ed. "What's the answer?"

The gang knew Mac's way of presenting a scheme with introductions of this character and waited calmly.

"Well," he said slowly. "If you fellows can't see somebody ought to buy something that'll 'iven your imagination. Perhaps it's too early in the morning, eh?" He looked around the circle innocently.

"I turble," said Charley, suddenly. "How you going to work it?"

"You're going to work it," said Mac firmly. "We're not in it. He'd suspect Bobbie or Hobbs or Ed or me. We've got Charley and you're out for a job. Write to Mac. He'll be glad to give you a bit. Hobbs can get you some Columbia paper. We got some to work that theatrical skindicate scheme. Write your letter on that. It's in Mac's desk, ain't it, Hobbs?"

"Yes, but then what?"

More, successful beyond his dreams, answered Charley's letter with blatant boasting and the statement that at present he was unable to do anything for Charley unless Charley could get him line on some good people for headliners through the Tate-Middleton people.

Charley, at Mac's dictation, offered a sum of eight thousand dollars per month for data obtained through the same and at cut-rate prices as, he said, they could fill these dates advantageously while jumping from St. Louis to Louisville. "If you want them come up here and sign quick," he said.

A telegram answered the letter.

"Be in St. Louis tomorrow morning, Mac."

The gang wanted to be at the station to welcome Mac, but Mac said no. "He'll get off at Washington avenue, and the station is too small for us. We don't want to show our hand. Let Charley meet him, and by the way, Charley, go in old clothes. Make him buy your breakfast and stake you. Who's got a pawn ticket?"

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On her part she should try and spend her husband's funds to the very best advantage—never to get into debt.

For that the home is always clean and well-kept.

To make the servants do their duty to the man who pays them.

To bring up the children properly. To keep them well fed, well clothed and above all healthy in body and mind.

Never to allow any waste in the housekeeping department, says the Chinese Inter-Ocean.

Always to be clothed becomingly and according to her station.

In fact, to be the real head of the home, with wisdom far above rubies.

Caring for all, advising and directing all.

Not to forget the poor dumb beasts, but to see that they also have their meat and drink and shelter. That the children do not misuse them.

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DEATHS.

AMES—Entered into rest on Monday, Sept. 18, at 3:45 p. m. Clara Ames, beloved daughter of Ben and Lena Ames (nee Herling), and dear sister of John and Mrs. Ames. Mourned by her husband and son, George Faupel, after a lingering illness, at the age of 19 years.

The funeral will take place on

Wednesday, Sept. 20, at 2 p. m., from

family residence, 832 Elmwood Street, to St. Michael's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited.

BENSBERG—On Monday, Sept. 18, 1905, Catharina Bensberg, aged 44 years

9 months and 12 days, will be given

last notice of funeral will be given

New Orleans (La.) and St. Paul (Minn.) papers please copy.

BENSBERG—Entered into rest on

Monday, Sept. 18, 1905, at 8:30 o'clock p. m. Anna Eagan, beloved daughter of John and Lorrie Eagan (nee Kline) aged 40 years.

Funeral will take place from

the family residence, 14545 Cass Avenue, Thursday, Sept. 21, at 2:30 a. m., to St. Joseph's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited.

ELZER—On Monday, Sept. 18, 1905, at 10 o'clock p. m. Nicholas Elzer, beloved father of John Fred, William and Rose Elzer and Anna Connor (nee Elzer) aged 60 years.

Funeral will take place from

the family residence, 14545 Cass Avenue, Thursday, Sept. 21, at 2:30 a. m., to St. Joseph's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited.

FISHER—Julia Fisher (nee Buehler), beloved wife of John Fisher and mother of John Jr., Clara, Charley, Annie and Eddie, all deceased, passed this life, after a lingering illness, at the age of 40 years and 4 months.

Funeral from the family residence,

2011 Grand Avenue, Wednesday, Sept. 20, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family invited to attend.

San Francisco and Los Angeles (Cal.) papers please copy.

HENTZENHORST—A. rest on Tues-

day, Sept. 21, 1905, John Hentzen-

roeder, beloved husband of Henrietta

Hentzenhroster, and our dear father

and father-in-law, the age of 53 years.

Funeral will take place on Thursday,

Sept. 21, at 2 p. m., from residence,

1005 Lynch street, to St. Paul Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited to attend.

HENRY—Entered into rest on Mon-

day, Sept. 18, 1905, at 10:30 a. m. E.

Gerritron Henry (nee Kyrol), beloved

wife of Joseph A. Henry, beloved daughter of Nellie Ryan (nee Flanagan), and the wife of John Henry, and the mother of John and Stella Ryan, after a long illness, at the age of 18 years 6 months.

The funeral will take place Wednes-

day, Sept. 19, at 2 p. m., from residence,

1454 North Sixth Street, to St. Patrick's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited to attend.

Cincinnati (O.) papers please copy.

JONES—At Albuquerque, N. M., Sept. 18, 1905, John L. Jones, son of Charles H. and Anna Jones, deceased.

Funeral from family residence, 3412 Walnut street, Friday, Sept. 22, at 2 o'clock, to Beloitton Cemetery.

KEENA—On Tuesday, Sept. 19, at 12:30 a. m. Mrs. Keena, aged 64 years, was mother of John Keena, Mrs. Harry Daries (nee Keena), and grandmother of John R. Keena.

Funeral will take place from residence, 1112 Chouteau Avenue, Thursday, Sept. 21, at 8:30 a. m., to Church of the Holy Angels, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited to attend.

Louisville (Ky.), Hannibal (Mo.) and Caledonia (Mich.) papers please copy.

KRUSE—On Tuesday, Sept. 19, 1905, at 10:30 a. m. William C. Kruse, beloved son of Joseph L. and Elsia Kruse (nee Medart), aged 3 years and 2 months.

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Want 50 boys, between 15 and 15 years of age, to work in the window houses. Apply in own handwriting. Ad. N. 129, Post-Dispatch.

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WINFIELD Wtd.—Armature windows: A. C. and D. C. are permanent. \$600 State Life Building, Indianapolis, Ind. (2)

YOUNG MAN Wtd.—In bakery. 2134 Mulberry.

YOUNG MAN Wtd.—About 16 years old, to work in grocery; must have had some experience. 630, Derby. Page Av. Heights.

SHOEWORKERS WANTED.

BOYS Wtd.—Boys to work in the finishing room. Peters Shoe Co., Factory No. 3, 11th and Locust.

BOY Wtd.—To help in ladies' fine shoes. Peters Shoe Co., Factory No. 3, 11th and Monroe.

HELLO! GOURMET Wtd.—Wertheimer-Swartz Shoe Co.

HEEL BUILDERS Wtd.—And lift cutters. Courtney Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas.

HEEL TRIMMERS Wtd.—Buzzed heel trimmers. Call 418 Roberts, Johnson & Rand, 15th and Monroe. (2)

LEVELER Wtd.—On McKay work. Roberts, Johnson & Hand, Hickory st. factory.

SHOE WORKERS Wtd.—Heel set; also sole and heel setting room. Courtney Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas.

SHOEMAKERS Wtd.—Walter and stitchers, slugs, boys to set seats, boys to feed horses, good pay. 1108 N. 3d st. (2)

SHOEWORKERS Wtd.—Cutters and trimming cutters on children's shoes; also 1st-class uppers and operators on ladies' fine shoes. Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co., 21st and Locust. (4)

SOLE TACKERS Wtd.—Gleesons-D'Onchamps Hosiery Co., 1308 N. 16th st.

STITCHERS Wtd.—First-class finishing stitcher on women's work. Templestoe Shoe Co., 20d and O'Fallon.

STITCHERS Wtd.—Good stitchers and tailors. 422 Laclede bridge.

SALESMAN Wtd.—For leather and shoe specimens. Call 1000 to 1010 Louis, express; salary \$75 to \$100. Haigoods, 916 Chemical Ridge.

SALESMAN Wtd.—Good address and first-class ability; salary and commission; \$100 End magazine. (2)

SALESMAN Wtd.—On McKay work. Roberts, Johnson & Hand, Hickory st. factory.

SALESMAN Wtd.—On men's work. Hickey Shoe Co., 1108 N. 3d. (2)

STOCK FITTER Wtd.—On men's work. Robert, Johnson & Rand, Hickory st. factory.

STOCKSETTERS Wtd.—With all work in room. (2)

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ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY.

MORGAN ST., 3422—Nicely furnished room, bath, \$12.50; room, \$10.50. Ad. W. 78.

MORGAN ST., 4205—Rooms with first-class table; home cooking; ladies or gents employed. (2)

MORGAN ST., 3971—Two large rooms, with easy chairs, heat; room for ladies employed; conveniences: \$4. (2)

MORGAN ST., 3120—Gentlemen boarders wanted; home of widow late; very attention-reasonable. Kinloch late. (2)

MORGAN ST., 3141—Nicely furnished room; for one or two gentlemen; also one hall room, with or without board; all conveniences. (2)

MORGAN ST., 3157—Room and bath; private; \$4 a week. (2)

OLIVE ST., 4221A—Nicely furnished rooms; steam heat; hot bath; private family; breakfast if required; reasonable. (2)

PINE ST., 1545A—Nicely furnished room, with or without board. (2)

PINE ST., 2551—Furnished room, with board; all conveniences. (2)

PINE ST., 3123—Board, \$4 to \$5 weekly; bath, phone, \$1. (2)

WESTMINSTER PL.—Westminster pl.; large sun-heated front rooms, with board, \$40 to \$60 monthly; first-class. Phone Lindell 2796.

BOOM AND BOARD—A small private family, about to furnish a home, desire to hear from four couples; gentlemen seeking home and board; Ad. O. 107, Post-Dispatch.

ST. LOUIS AV., 4200A—Room, with or without board; reasonable; pay in 30 days. (2)

ST. VINCENT AV., 2621A—Furnished front room; or unfurnished rooms; private family; board with all improvements. Inquire S623 Lucas. (2)

ST. VINCENT AV., 2600—Room and board, one or two gentlemen; strictly private family; convenient to car line. (2)

TENTH ST., 1118 A—Nicely furnished room, with board; gas hot bath; reasonable. (2)

VERNON AV., 3747—Nicely furnished single room, with floor front; southern exposure; first-class table. (2)

WALTON AV., 910—Good rooms, good board, \$4.50 per week; all conveniences; Suburban Inn. (2)

WASHINGTON BL., 3011—Extra good food; handsome second-story front; south; reasonable. (2)

WASHINGTON AV., 4612—Front room, with board; two gentlemen; also young lady room; board; charge reasonable; everything first-class. (2)

WASHINGTON AV., 3422—Second-story front; room; also large room; good board; all conveniences. (2)

WASHINGTON AV., 3031—Fine side rooms; steam-heated; hot water, furnace heat; board optional. (2)

WASHINGTON AV., 2627—Nicely furnished steam-heated front room, with board; all conveniences. Kinloch CT88. (2)

WASHINGTON AV., 3400—Second-story room; board; modern conveniences; first-class accommodations; reasonable; references. (2)

WASHINGTON BL., 4375—Two good rooms, with board; charge reasonable; everything first-class. (2)

WASHINGTON BL., 4187—Desirable room; modern conveniences; first-class table; couple or two gentlemen. (2)

WASHINGTON AV., 3227—Nicely furnished room; second-hand; also accommodate dry boarders. (2)

WASHINGTON BL., 3880—Second-story front room; also large single room, in well-kept, comfortable private boarding house; good board; all conveniences. (2)

WASHINGTON BL., 3147—Nicely furnished room; gentle; 2 couples; single or in pairs; no board; charge reasonable; convenient; reference exchanged; convenient for business men. (2)

WASHINGTON AV., 3038—Second-story front room; also large room; good board; bath; gas, furnace heat; first-class board; very reasonable. Phone Beaumont 15. (2)

WEST BELLE PL., 4060—Nicely furnished room, with board. (2)

WEST BELLE PL., 4088—Bright and airy room, with board; \$9 week for two. (2)

WEST BELLE PL., 4100—Room and board for 2nd class; piano, parlor. Delmar 18880. (2)

WEST BELLE PL., 3303—Excellent table; convenient; electric light; telephone; small family; reasonable terms. (2)

WEST BELLE PL., 4336—Nicely furnished room; room; also large single room; private family; reasonable; conveniences; gentle or couple. Delmar 4805. (2)

WEST BELLE PL., 4346—Nicely furnished room; private; 2nd class; piano, parlor. (2)

WEST BELLE PL., 4384—Elegantly furnished room; room; also large room; good board; all conveniences. (2)

WEST BELLE PL., 4386—Nicely furnished room; room; also large room; private family; reasonable; conveniences; gentle or couple. Delmar 4805. (2)

WEST BELLE PL., 4400—Modern room; reasonable to gentlemen. Phone Delmar 1468. (2)

WEST BELLE PL., 4372—First-class accommodations; 2 or 3 men; large decor. (2)

WEST BELLE PL., 3504—Elegantly furnished room; room; also large room; good board; all conveniences. (2)

WEST BELLE PL., 3526—Furnished rooms in private family; southern cooking; phone Lindell 15. (2)

Plaza Hotel, 3127 Locust St. Annex, 3423-24-25 Locust St.

Large, comfortable rooms, en suite, with bath; steam heat; gas, electric light; shower and tub baths; excellent cuisine; both phones; American plan; \$8 a week single; \$14 for double; American plan; a day or two up; dinner, 6 o'clock p. m.; Sundays, 12 m. European plan; 75c to \$1; board and room. Annex, \$5. (2)

SUBURBAN BOARD

SUBURBAN RD.—For room, board; also comfortable room; will take first-class family or couple to board. Ad. W. 113, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Lady to board an infant. Ad. Y. 83, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—By lady stenographer; \$5 week; West End; warm breakfast. Ad. W. 77, Post-Dispatch.

BOARD AND BOARD Wtd.—Place to work for boy; good board; pay to school. Ad. Y. 73, Stickney, 4588 Maffitt av. (2)

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Lady employed wants to keep room; also board; hot bath; Ad. Y. 65, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Quiet young man; strictly private family; in other boarders. Ad. O. 65, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS AND BOARD Wtd.—Lady teacher desired; good board; good for herself and mother; near Marquette School. Ad. O. 68, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Young gentleman who needs room; en suite; in western part of city; possibly require break fast. Ad. W. 73, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—First-class room with bath; steam heat; good board; good for boy; good for school. Ad. Y. 65, Post-Dispach.

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ROOM AND BOARD Wtd.—Large, unfurnished room from board; for couple with child 1 year or less; where there are no other roommates. Ad. Y. 65; references. Ad. O. 63, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMMATES WANTED.

DWELLINGS IN—Furnished flat, handsome; good board; good for school; good for boy; complete housekeeping; no children. (2)

PINE ST., 2223—Furnished flat; second floor; gas, bath and conveniences. (2)

WEST BELLE PL., 4403A—Completely furnished 3-room flat; no bath; choice location; best bed; \$1. (2)

FURNISHED FLATS FOR RENT.

EVANS AV., 4092—Furnished flat, handsome; good board; good for school; good for boy; complete housekeeping; no children. (2)

EVANS AV., 4093—Furnished flat; 2 new 7-room, modern dwellings; bath, electric light; steam heat; good board; good for school; good for boy; complete housekeeping; no children. (2)

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HIGH COLLAR TURNED KNIFE, SAYS O'MEARA

Believes Robbery, Not Revenge,
Was Motive of Attack on
Him at Home.

MADE DEMAND FOR MONEY

Assailant Drew Revolver and
Mr. O'Meara Struggled
With Him for Weapon.

John B. O'Meara, former Lieutenant-Governor, said Tuesday that he felt sure robbery was the only purpose of the man who attacked him on the porch of his residence, 422 Washington boulevard, Monday night, stabbed and sliced his right cheek and escaped.

"I have made political and business enemies," said Mr. O'Meara, "but I cannot imagine that any of these would be responsible for an attempt on my life."

"Strips of gauze, conceal the deep cut inflicted by his assailant on Mr. O'Meara's face. The porch and lawn of his home show marks of the encounter in which Mr. O'Meara believes that, but for the height of the collar he wore, he would have lost his life."

"This block on Washington boulevard was as quiet as a country road last night," said Mr. O'Meara. "I was sitting on the porch smoking a cigar. There was no light in the house, nor any in the adjoining houses. There is a lamp on the other side of the street, but the trees obscured its light."

"I saw a man come up my walk. Does Mr. Taylor live here?" he asked.

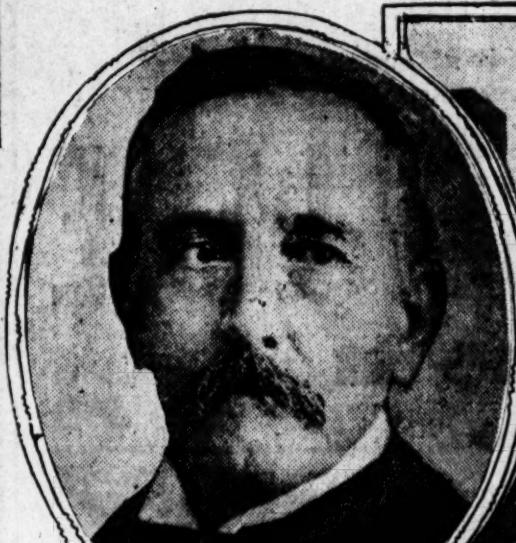
Man Drew Revolver

"There is no Taylor on the block, and I told him so. Then 'Is this 4482?' he asked, and as I began to explain to him that he was on the wrong side of the street, he jumped in front of me, and all of a sudden had a small revolver in my face, saying in a low tone: 'Your money or your life!'

"I jumped up and grabbed with him. We wrestled over the lawn I pushing his revolver hand away from me and he hitting at me and struggling to get his other hand free. I threw him on his back on the lawn, and as I tried to wrench his weapon away, he got his other hand free, thrust it into his pocket, and, pulling out a knife—it must have been a spring knife—slashed at my throat, cutting my right cheek. My collar kept the blade from the jugular vein."

"Then as I released him, he seized his hat which was lying on the grass, and ran through the yard, leaping through a double swing, and out the back gate." After checking the flow of blood Mr.

Victim of Assault, His House Where He Was Attacked and Diagram of Struggle With Armed Assailant



JOHN B. O'MEARA

O'Meara walked to the office of Dr. A. V. L. Brokaw, at Taylor and Washington avenues, and had the wound dressed. It was necessary to take six stitches in the gash.

"My identification of the fellow will be perfect, if he is caught," said Mr. O'Meara.

"He was dressed in a dark suit, sack coat, had a brown or sandy Van Dyke beard and mustache, dark hair and was about 5 feet 10 or 11 inches, and of slender build. He spoke in well modulated tones and in every way gave me the impression that he was a professional man. I should say he was about 35 years of age."

"No one was at the O'Meara home at the time but the Lieutenant-Governor and his secretary. Mrs. O'Meara is 35 years old, a sister, Miss T. O'Meara, who makes her home with him, is now in the East."

IRON MOUNTAIN ROUTE.

Through Train Service, Leaving St. Louis for Denver Daily.

No. 7, Fast Mail, and Night Train, \$10.00 a.m. Through sleeping car to Los Angeles, open for occupancy after 9:30 p.m. Char. car \$1.50.

No. 1, Dallas, Fort Worth, San Antonio and Galveston, 22½ m. Through dining car and sleeper to San Antonio.

No. 5, Dallas, Fort Worth, Colorado

No. 6, San Antonio and New Mexico, 2½ m. Through sleeping cars to Hot Springs, Ark. City of Mexico and Galveston. Char. car to Texarkana and Dallas, 12½ m. Through sleeping car to Dallas, 12½ m. Through sleeping car to San Antonio.

No. 9, Memphis Express, daily, \$1.40 p.m. Through sleeping cars and regular cars.

No. 21, Delta, Columbus and Cairo Express, 3½ days, m. through sleeping car to Memphis and Little Rock.

No. 22, The accommodation, Illinois division, 4½ p.m.

Also through trains via Illinois division, Chicago, 1½ m. to St. Louis; 9:30 a.m. and 9:30 p.m.

Southbound train No. 1 will stop on the way to Middlebrook, Annapolis, Des Arc and Arcadia.

Northbound train No. 4 will stop on the way to Ironton, Williamsburg and Lapeer.

PIANO BARGAINS THIS WEEK AT KIESELHORST'S

In Moving to Our New Store and Being Obliged to Store the
Pianos in Small Space on Account of Incomplete
Alterations, Numerous Fine Instruments Were

SLIGHTLY MARRED IN FINISH

On This Account We Will Offer This Week a Grand Array of Piano
Bargains That Will Be Taken Quickly.

YOUR OWN TERMS WILL BE ACCEPTED

A piano that is slightly marred on the end will not affect the tone or the looks.

We have a number of this kind, because the end of the piano is the most liable to be damaged in moving them around and caring them to our new store.

Then, we are refinishing places on pianos that were materially injured, so that we think you will be much pleased with the pianos that we are offering this week at such extraordinary discounts.

Member, we guarantee every one of these pianos as perfect in tone, action and durability.

There are some of the bargains, and these pianos comprise not only many of the best makes, but many of the best styles.

Mahogany Upright, sale price \$100.00. Rosewood Upright, sale price \$100.00.

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all we ask for a good Singer
Machine. Must be seen to be
appreciated.

Bargains in Ranges this week.

1800 Ball-Bearing Washer, \$3.00.

This is the 1800 Ball-Bearing Washer, nothing equal to it on the market. Sent on trial.

J. C. GEITZ

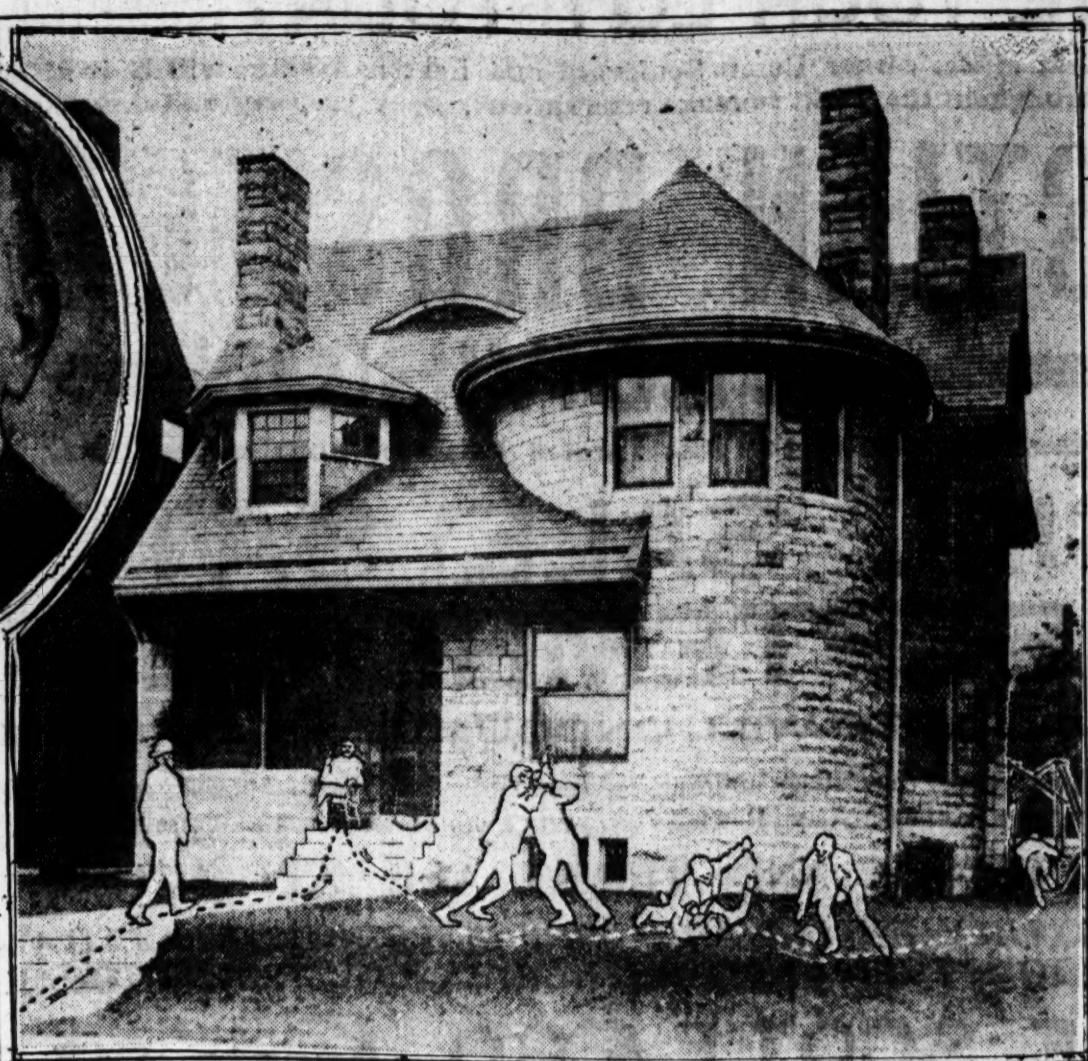
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Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Sept. 12.—The



RIVER THREE FEET FROM DANGER LINE

Rise of Two Feet During Night

—Is Still Going
Up.

CREST HERE TOMORROW

Harbor Boat Saves 65,000 Feet of Lumber—Other Rescue Work.

STATISTICS OF THE RISE

Stage of river at 5 p.m.

Monday 28.5

Stage at 2 p.m. Tuesday 27.85

Danger line 30

The following is the river forecast Tuesday by the local Weather Bureau:

"The Missouri River east of Kansas City will fall during the next several days, but there will be a further rise not to exceed .5 of a foot at Hermann, Mo.

"The Mississippi River between Grafton and Chester, Ill., will concur to rise at a greatly reduced rate. At St. Louis the river will come to a standstill Wednesday at a stage not exceeding 29 feet and will begin to fall at this point Wednesday night or Thursday.

"The Illinois and Upper Mississippi rivers will not change materially.

From 4 p.m. Monday to 8 a.m. Tuesday the Mississippi rose nearly two feet, but in the opinion of river men the river will not go over 30 feet and the crest, they think, will be reached by Wednesday night.

Capt. T. Garrison of the Mark Twain said to a Post-Dispatch reporter Tuesday:

"The rise in the river is due to freshets, and in my opinion it cannot last over 24 or 36 hours. On account of the condition of the lower rivers there need be no fear of the flood on the part of the people in St. Louis or the inhabitants below here. The Ohio River is very low, so low in fact that the steamboats have been taken off. Other tributaries of the Mississippi are exceedingly low.

"Lower River Relieved.

"This condition has relieved the lower Mississippi and makes it possible for the lower river to carry much more water and more quickly. If the Ohio and other rivers south were high the rise in St. Louis would be much greater and there would be cause for fear."

According to advices received by the steamboat companies in St. Louis the river landings here and Cairo are in fairly good shape. Only the low lands are suffering.

The river shipping interests in St. Louis are engaging all the laborers to be found in the city and much of the endangered property is being transferred to more secure places.

The city's harbor boat, Mark Twain, has rendered good service to the river men, particularly in the vicinity of the North Market street wharf.

After 6,000 feet of lumber at the North Market street wharf was saved yesterday with the assistance of the harbor boat.

The lumber was boomed, pending the arrival of the Mark Twain. Then it jammed the timber into shallow water.

The workmen setting up the slideshows the people did not stay long. It is promised that the lumber will be ready to be loaded.

STREET CARNIVAL DELAYED.

Owing to the belated arrival of the carnival company which provides the attraction for the Fall Street carnival, the opening Midway night was rather tame.

There was a fairly large crowd on the street, but the attraction was to see the workmen setting up the slideshows the people did not stay long. It is promised that the

attraction will be made to be a success.

MISSOURI FLOODS FALL;
LOSS WILL BE MILLIONS.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Sept. 12.—The

floods throughout the State are falling, except in isolated instances.

Reports received this morning from towns along the Missouri River, between here and Kansas City, say that all the smaller streams are subsiding. The river here indicates as much, as it has come to a stand and shows signs of going down today.

The Osage and Gasconade rivers, which join the Missouri River near here are both falling. The Missouri, which runs into the big stream here, is rapidly returning to normal conditions.

The crest of the Lamine flood has passed out of Bonneville, and has then reached the Moulins des Cygnes, further south.

Grand River, which has planed havoc in the lowlands of several of the north central Missouri counties, is reported falling, though the situation near Carrollton, Chillicothe and other towns is still bad.

The lowlands of the Chariton are still submerged, but the river is falling. The smaller streams have not yet been back into their banks, but the fishing is spoiling, if, indeed, the fish haven't been nearly all carried away by the sudden flood. The water is still high, though.

The St. Francis, White and Current rivers in the southern part of the State, are still high, but it is believed the water is on the wane.

From every part of the State come reports of heavy losses of crops, principally corn. When the returns are all in the total will go over a million dollars.

Hundreds of wagon bridges over smaller streams of the State, running away into the hundreds of miles of dol-
lars have been swept away.

In the County alone, where the Lamine River rose higher than it was known to have ever exceeded, the loss is estimated to have exceeded \$500,000. This loss, as similar losses elsewhere, will fall on the county.

It is not a mere yet of damage to railroad property, but it is heavy. The Missouri Pacific system alone estimates their losses at half a million, but are afraid that they will not exceed this amount.

Farmers in the Missouri River bottoms are still moving out. The lowlands are being inundated by the flood.

Woodridge, a little town near Bonneville, is under 9 feet of water. All the inhabitants save half a dozen living in the upper stories of their homes, have fled.

No additional losses of life have been reported from any part of St. Louis.

Railroad traffic is still impeded by conditions of roadbed at various points along the Missouri Pacific, Iron Mountain, the Wabash and the Wabash. This will be remedied, however, in another day if the water keeps on going down. Traffic to and from here is only local.

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HEMMETER WILL TRY.

Frank Hemmeter, the single entry of St. Louis in the Illinois Athletic Club's Masters' race, ran the fastest time in the strongest competition in the country.

Word has been received from Chicago of the entry of Louis Marks of the Morrisania Club, of New York, and Thomas J. Hicks of the Cambridge Athletic Club of Cambridge, Mass. Hicks was the winner of the first prize at St. Louis in 1904.

Hemmeter will leave for Chicago Wednesday, will compete in the St. Louis University race, and will be in the lead.

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